

15,000 Rebels to Attack Federals

SULZER TO TESTIFY AT GRAFT INQUIRY

Former New York Governor the
Chief Witness at Resumption of
the John Doe Inquiry Into Al-
leged Political Graft

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—William Sulzer, former governor, now an assemblyman, was the chief witness cited to appear this forenoon at the resumption here of the so-called John Doe inquiry into political graft, especially as concerns state road construction. During the period before and after his removal as governor, Sulzer made many charges against his enemies but he did not take the stand at the impeachment proceedings and his appearance today was the first under oath. It was understood that Dist. Atty. Whitman would insist that the witness sign a waiver of immunity. The district attorney did not announce prior to the resumption of the inquiry over just what ground he would take the witness. It was

thought, however, he would question Sulzer about all matters in which his name has been mentioned since the graft inquiry began. George H. McGuire of Syracuse, at the beginning of the investigation, said he gave Sulzer \$500 in cash as a campaign contribution in a hotel in Syracuse on the day of Sulzer's nomination. McGuire asserted also that Sulzer asked him for an additional contribution of \$3000, that \$500 of this went to Sulzer directly to aid him in his direct primary fight and that \$2500 was sent to him through the agency of John A. Hennessy, the ex-governor's graft investigator. A part of the \$2500, McGuire swore, was contributed by an agent of the Barber Asphalt company, which McGuire represented. Other questions, it was said, would be asked about Sulzer's relations with Charles F. Murphy, James E. Gaffney and Senator O'Gorman.

FOURTH DEGREE BANQUET

Held at the Knights of Columbus
Hall — Addresses Delivered —
Good Singing Enjoyed

The Anne street club house of the Knights of Columbus was the scene of a delightful social function last evening when the Lowell assembly, fourth degree members, gathered together to hold their annual banquet, accompanied by their ladies. In all over 200 were present and though the members were attired in correct evening dress and the ladies in elaborate gowns, there was not the slightest trace of formality. Throughout the entire evening there was a spirit of family friendliness in evidence that gave an additional charm to the program. There were some eloquent addresses, fine musical and vocal numbers and an appetizing banquet served in the best style of the D. L. Page company. The members and guests seated themselves

at the banquet tables at 7 o'clock and the festivities were not over until 11 p. m. During the early part of the evening the members entertained their wives and lady friends by showing them over the splendidly appointed club house and informal receptions were held. The orchestra played at intervals. At 7 p. m. all present fell into line and marched to the banquet hall to the stirring strains of a martial air. When all were seated, Faithful Navigator Walter H. Hickey called to order and after cordially welcoming those present introduced William F. Sullivan of Nashua, N. H., a past grand knight of Lowell council, as toastmaster of the evening. Mr. Sullivan responded by complimenting the local knights of Columbus on the great strides they have made during the past few years, espe-

VILLA ORDERS CONCENTRATION

Rebel Leader Prepares for Attack and
Issues Statement, Saying That He
Will Lead Troops to "Dethrone the
Usurper of Our Liberties"

CHIHUAHUA, Mex., Jan. 21.—Orders were issued by Francisco Villa today for a concentration of rebel forces along the railroad north of Torreon. The rebels scattered in the state of Durango and Coahuila and the garrison in Juarez were ordered to join those at Chihuahua, Jimenez and Santa Rosalia with a view of preparing a formidable front in the projected rebel advance southward. Evidence has multiplied that the federals at Torreon are determined if possible to check the rebellion at that point. Torreon is now the northernmost federal stronghold in the heart of the republic. The federals hold that if the revolutionary movement from the north is to be stopped at all it must be halted there and that the loss of Torreon

to the rebels would leave the way open for Villa's advance to Saltillo, Monterrey, San Luis Potosi and cities near Mexico City. Consequently, according to reports received here, the federals are drawing all their available soldiers toward Torreon in the hope of dealing a decisive blow to the rebels. Gen. Villa said he was not inclined to believe that the federals would evacuate Torreon. He therefore ordered to be concentrated there all rebels who might be spared from the surrounding country. Within ten days, he said, his available army for the campaign would number 15,000 well equipped soldiers. "Gen. Villa himself expects to lead the campaign but not until he has first visited Juarez, for which place he planned to leave today. The rebels are already within striking distance of Torreon. They occupy Lerdo and Gomez Palacio, important suburbs.

The overthrow of Torreon by the rebels would leave two routes open to Mexico City. One will be directly southward through Zacatecas and Agua Calientes. The other would be eastward through Saltillo and Monterrey and then southward through San Luis Potosi. As an indication of his intention to head his troops and also as an instance of the summary manner in which he appoints important officers Gen. Villa, while preparing to take the train for Juarez, turned to Gen. Manuel Chao in the state palace and said: "Gen. Chao, you are now governor of the state of Chihuahua, and I leave everything in your hands while I go at the head of my troops to dethrone the usurper of our liberties."

First Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S
STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE LATER EDITIONS

ATTEMPTED ASSASSIN GIVES HIMSELF UP

Beardsley, Who Shot Overseer
Putnam, and Who Defied the
Sheriff and Posse for a Week
Surrenders

MAYVILLE, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Edward Beardsley, the Chautauque county outlaw, who for over a week has defied the efforts of Sheriff Anderson to arrest him, gave himself up to a party

of newspaper men early today, accompanied them to a hotel in this village and was later locked up in jail. Sheriff Anderson and his posse maintained their guard five hours after the capture.

BIG SNOW STORM

Old Time Storm Visited
This City Last Night—
Traffic Blocked

A real old fashioned snow storm visited this city during the night and this morning people were astonished to find over a foot of snow on the ground. This storm will be a great help to the many unemployed in Lowell, who early this morning were put to work by Commissioner Morse of the streets and highways department in clearing the streets and crossings.

The storm started last yesterday afternoon with a light snow and mild temperature. In the early evening the velocity of the wind increased some, but fortunately the thermometer registered several degrees above zero. The snow fell constantly during the night and at one o'clock the officials of the Hay State street railway deemed it advisable to put extra men to work and accordingly several of the employees were summoned to the car shed in Middlesex street and 19 snow plows were put to work. The big snow plows were kept in motion all night and the company found it a very difficult task to keep its tracks clear. All lines were running late this forenoon, however, and it was not until noon that the regular running time was resumed.

Street Commissioner Morse was on the job bright and early this morning and while many were still enjoying a good nap several hundred workmen had been put to work in clearing the snow from the thoroughfares to the rivers and commons. All sleighs available in the department were pressed into service, but the snow kept falling heavily and the work of the department was in many places useless. Many mill operatives who live on the outskirts of the city found it very difficult to get to their work on time this morning, especially those who relied on the electric car service. Others who attempted to come to the city in sleighs or automobiles were snow-bound, while still others living near their work found much difficulty in reaching their destinations on foot.

POLICE COURT SESSION

Mary O'Malley, alias Agnes Diamond, was charged with the larceny of \$150 from John Durr, and pleaded not guilty. Her case was continued until next Saturday. Frank M. Donahue was sent to the house of correction for a term of four months on the charge of not supporting his wife. Henry Greenhalge was charged with neglecting his wife, the woman testified that her husband abused her when he got drunk. The defendant was given a suspended sentence to the house of correction on condition that he pay his wife \$4 per week. Tange Girls' annual, Lincoln, Fri.

DROPPED DEAD

Mrs. Mary Blacktin Died
Suddenly at Hood's
Laboratory

Mrs. Mary Blacktin, of 130 Hale street, died suddenly yesterday while at work at the laboratory of the C. L. Hood Co. in Thordike street, the cause of death being endocarditis. The woman broke a part of the day and seemed in good health. Suddenly she dropped to the floor in an unconscious condition and before assistance could be summoned she passed away. Her body was later removed to the home, 130 Hale street. Deceased was survived by a husband, Howard, and a daughter, Mary.

GEN'L PEARSON

Opinion Due Today—T.
J. Boynton, New Atty.
Gen. Takes Office

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The opinion of Attorney General Swift upon whether Adj. Gen. Gardner Pearson is legally holding the office of adjutant-general is expected this morning. At noon today Mr. Swift will cease to be attorney general and Thomas J. Boynton, his democratic successor, will take office. Not since Mr. Swift has been in office has he had presented to him a case of such widespread interest. It is so, first, because of the importance of the adjutant-general's office in view of the strict control of the federal law, and secondly, because of the desire to Gov. Walsh to appoint the successor of Gen. Pearson.

Ex-Adj. Gen. James A. Parker who made the point with Atty. Gen. Swift that General Pearson has no right to the office which he now holds, is confident that his contention will be sustained by Atty. Gen. Swift. Gen. Parker contends that General Pearson was legislated out of office by one act and that he was not legislated back into office by a subsequent act which extended the term of the adjutant-general to five years. The precise question as it comes to Atty. Gen. Swift is simply whether Gen. Pearson without a renewal of his commission is entitled to act.

Tango Girls, Miner's, Lincoln, Fri.

AUTO STALLED

Boston Truck Held up
Traffic in Merrimack
Street Today

A large auto truck owned by the Boston Auto Truck Co. of Providence, Boston and Portland, got stalled on Merrimack street opposite St. Anne's church this morning shortly before 10 o'clock.

The huge truck was stalled in the car track running toward the square and some half dozen electric cars were held up for nearly 20 minutes.

All endeavors of the driver and the men accompanying the truck failing to start the vehicle, the first car was brought up to it and pushed the auto down to the square. The spectacle of an electric car pushing an auto through Merrimack square attracted quite a large crowd. The car was pushed off the tracks at East Merrimack street, where men from the square quickly fixed up the engine.

School and the Home. He proved an able and eloquent speaker and was listened to with the closest attention. In part he said as follows:

"I am deeply interested in the school and the home, as I believe all who are interested in the welfare and good of our state and country should be. It is the home and the school that bring to the surface the best and truest representatives of our community."

"We all want our country to prosper and in our efforts to have it advance we look about us for the cause. Some people tell us that the school is the foundation of our republic. Such is not the case. I have read history, the history of many nations and I like many another, have traced the cause of the downfall of some of the greatest nations of the world. When the women of a country or a community lose respect for themselves or where man loses respect for womanhood, here you find the seed that eventually results in the decay of that nation. For his reason I assume, and rightly so, that the home, which includes principally womanhood, is the principal thing to be considered in keeping our country in prosperity and advance."

We of the Knights of Columbus adore womanhood. We are taught its true value. Purity, morality and virtue are the vital qualities of the home and the school. We must have them first if we are successful. If we of the Knights of Columbus do our full duty to God and to our country we cannot but help assist materially in the prosperity of our great and glorious country."

Following Mr. Mullin's speech, Andrew A. McCarthy sang and was received warmly. Sir Knight George C. Shields of Manchester then responded to the toast "The Fourth Degree" and talked entertainingly on matters of special interest to the members present. Rev. W. George Mullin gave a short address on "Lowell Council, No. 72, and Grand Knight William H. Thornton was the last speaker of the evening in an impromptu address. Miss Mary C. Joyce gave some brilliant recitations.

At 11 p. m. the hall was cleared and dancing was enjoyed until midnight. All declared that they had spent a truly enjoyable evening and were loud in praise of Walter H. Hickey, John A. Quinn and the other officers who were responsible for the success of the affair.

Tango Girls, Miner's, Lincoln, Fri.

CIGARET STUB

A fire in a coffee house at 35 Jefferson street, said to have been caused by a carelessly thrown lighted cigar or cigar stub, was responsible for an alarm from box 125 about 2:30 o'clock this morning. When the firemen arrived on the spot a small part of the floor was blazing furiously and it was necessary to tear up several boards to put out the fire. The building is owned by Peter Savage. The fire apparatus had their first experience in trying some of the new machines in a real snow storm.

Miner's novelties, Lincoln hall, Fri. fixed up the engine.

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THE SACO-LOWELL SHOPS

Business Improving at "Big Shop"
—Bigelow Carpet Company on
Short Time

It was learned today that the local branches of the Saco-Lowell shops, the "Big Shop" and the Wilson Machine Co., are doing more help and that the business outlook is much better than a few months ago. It was stated at the office of the company that orders were coming in daily and that all departments are kept running full time.

For some time past the local plants have been running but 20 hours a week and it seems that it is the intention of the company to keep that up for it is believed nine hours a day for any workman is sufficient. As fast as business increases more help will be hired. The company has made considerable changes in the plant of the "Big Shop," among these being the transfer of the loom construction to out-of-town plants, and it is said that more repair work of a general nature is being taken in.

A few months ago the company installed on trial what is known as the Taylor system, which gives a record of all the operations of all workmen. In this manner the cost of constructing a piece of machinery can be obtained, and that put together with the cost of material will enable the company to see just how conditions are. This system, according to officials of the local plant, is very satisfactory, but it is claimed by some of the employees that the system is very inefficient and its workings are too much in favor of the company. The new labor organization formed among the machinists employed by this concern in this city has taken up this matter at previous meetings and some say that the system is still the topic of discussion at meetings. One man said that it would result in injury just as did the clock system put into the "Big

Shop," in the days of Mr. Shaw, and which helped to disorganize the entire shop and break up even the management.

Bigelow Carpet Co.

The Taylor system which was being installed at the local plant of the Bigelow Carpet Co., was put in operation a few days ago and those interested are much satisfied with the results thus far obtained. It is the intention of the company to equip all its looms with new stokers in order to do away with the smoke nuisance. There are now 10 boilers in the plant, but the installation of the new stoker boiler will do away with some of the older boilers. Eventually all the old ones will be replaced by Taylor stokers.

It was expected that business would pick up at this mill after New Year's, but this does not seem to materialize. One department of the plant is still running four days a week, while others are being run on a five days schedule. The company is receiving orders just about enough to keep the machinery in operation.

Local Agent Talks

"It is strange to note what the mill agents are up against at times," said a local agent this morning, and then he went on and related how a prominent resident of this city called on him a couple of days ago and wanted him to write a letter, stating that he was willing to give work to a former resident of this city, who was incarcerated in the Charlestown jail awaiting trial on the charge of larceny.

"I told him I would if it was within my power, and then he went along and explained how his friend who was in Webster, was in a rather tight position, that is, without cash or food and in order to keep the wolf away from the door, he stole an overcoat. He was arrested and taken to the Charlestown jail, where he was awaiting trial."

"I am sure," said the citizen, "if you will write a letter stating that you are willing to give my friend work, that the authorities will release him."

"I then told him I could not make my mill the recipient of larceny, but he insisted and said it was immaterial whether the man worked here or not after his release, for all he wanted was to get his friend out of jail. He pleaded so hard that I finally gave him a few lines and what luck it brought his friend I have not yet learned. This is only a sample of what takes place almost continually in the office of a mill agent.

"There are appeals to put parties to

work because the husband is sick, because the wife is sick, because there is a large family, or because some body met with misfortune. I wish I could help such cases, but experience has shown that when these people are put to work they either cannot work or they do not want to work."

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Being Abused by Fans and Writers—Is a Substitute for "Chick" Murphy and the Cardinals

Many persons are looking around for an excuse to pick on the Federal League. It used to be St. Louis, Cincinnati and "Chick" Murphy who were most favored for a third degree position at the hands of our most eminent pickers, but the Federal League has sprung up to an exciting level, as the staff was running a but de on the trip mentioned. For this the Federal League must be given thanks.

There are ways and ways of beating the wallop especially to the new baseball organization for being on earth, and one way that doesn't seem to be just up to snuff is to start the fires burning because its chief backers are restaurant keepers, butchers, bakers, confectioners and others known in our set as trades people. What, query some of the critics, does a restaurant keeper know about baseball except to become too closely identified with restaurant keeping and that the brotherhood and their like to step in now with their knowledge of the grand old game and put an experienced hand on the rubber?

Of course, a restaurant keeper doesn't know as much about baseball as he does about keeping portions of food to the smallest possible portion. If he did baseball might become too closely identified with restaurant keeping and that would be bad for the digestion. But it is our humble opinion that a restaurant man is more to be respected than ridiculed. And the same applies to the butcher, the baker and the contractor. Any man who can serve beef stew all night out with a French name and charge 300 per cent interest for the toasting is deserving of tremendous respect. Any man who can keep the price of a steak soaring on the side of the clamoring of some 20,000 persons also comes in for unlimited credit. Any man who can make a tasty pie out of old shoes and discarded summer clothing is a wizard for being able to get away with it.

No, furthermore, not. If the Federal league is to crumble it will not be because of any lack of business acumen or lack of the part of promoters. Men who can get away with it so nicely in other lines of endeavor should have no difficulty in baseball.

Yet the Federal league was almost disrupted in one fell stroke. And as the trouble started in Chicago, one naturally wonders whether the Federal league club in that city is to have a duplicate of C. Murphy. Which brings us right back to where we were—picking on one of the old standbys.

EX-GOV. SULZER BOXEN

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 21.—If William Sulzer, former governor, could take off a few years and take on a few pounds, there would be no amateur heavyweight in the country who could outbox him, his instructor, "Al" Burdick, said yesterday.

The former governor has been taking boxing lessons ever since before his impeachment trial began, but nobody learned of it until yesterday.

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ANNUAL MEETING

And Parish Supper at the Grace Universalist Church Last Night

The annual meeting of the Grace Universalist church was held last evening and a parish supper was served in connection with the annual meeting. The supper was followed by impromptu post prandial exercises. Dr. G. Forrest Martin was the toastmaster. The speakers included Rev. James Bancroft, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church; Rev. C. E. Fisher of the First Universalist church, and Rev. C. R. Skinner of Grace church. The superintendent of the Sunday school, William Sherwell, spoke on Sunday school work.

Dr. G. Forrest Martin was chosen moderator of the business meeting, and Kewell P. Putnam, clerk. The report of the treasurer showed the society to be in a flourishing condition. The collector's report showed a gain for the present year show 14 additional seats rented. Thirty-three new members were also taken into the society last night.

After the reports of the various officials had been read, Dr. Martin, as chairman of the board of assessors, presented a new plan for the securing of pledges to provide for the full annual budget in advance, and to use the money secured from the various women's societies, which amounts to \$100 or \$200 a year, as a payment on the permanent debt.

MOODY BIBLE CLASS

The second annual banquet and reception of the Moody Bible class, of the Lawrence Street P. M. church, to its members and friends, was held in the church vestry last evening. After supper the following program was in order: Piano solo, Mrs. William Bell, Jr.; class history, Secretary E. M. Kimball; remarks, Rev. A. Hestford; organized classes in general, Teacher C. W. Moore; remarks, J. T. Wilson of Moody vocal duet, Misses Mary Green and Lilla Bell; remarks, Rev. Mr. Fowler; Bible questions by Harry Bowen, answered by any one present, in which Miss Mary McKee received the lady's prize and David Allen the men's.

The committee on entertainment was: Helen G. Barker, Helen Bule, Thomas W. Vennard, and on the supper, Mrs. A. Bailey, Mrs. J. E. Buchanan, Mrs. M. T. Kimball, Mrs. W. Bennett, Mrs. E. Berry.

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ANNUAL REPORT

Of Sealer of Weights and Measures Goes to City Council

John W. Stett, sealer of weights and measures, has submitted his annual report and it went to the municipal council today. In accordance with the recommendation of Thure Hanson, state commissioner of weights and measures, one additional employee in the department was added during the latter part of 1913. The work done by the department for the year is described in the report as follows:

Track, wagon and platform scales, over 500 pounds. Tested, 28; adjusted, 28; sealed, 74; condemned, 4.

Platform scales, under 500 pounds. Tested, 32; adjusted, 250; sealed, 770; condemned, 62.

Overhead track. Tested, 21; sealed, 20; condemned, 1.

Cotton beams. Tested, 28; sealed, 28; condemned, 4.

Counting machines. Tested, 218; sealed, 217; condemned, 47.

Slot machines. Tested, 60; sealed, 58; condemned, 2.

Spring and counter scales. Tested, 1574; sealed, 1642; adjusted, 257; condemned, 232.

Junk scales. Tested, 200; sealed, 160; condemned, 30.

Weights. Tested, 6137; sealed, 6130; adjusted, 134; condemned, 7.

Dry measures. Tested, 93; sealed, 81; condemned, 11.

Liquid measures. Tested, 1899; sealed, 1164; condemned, 430.

Pumps. Tested, 75; sealed, 67; adjusted, 19; condemned, 5.

Yard-measures. Tested, 598; sealed, 344; condemned, 64.

Milk and other jars. Tested, 690; sealed, 650; condemned, 40.

Packages reweighed in stores. Correct, 400; incorrect, 50.

Inspection of junk and peddlers' wagons. 350.

Coke and coal bags sealed, 110.

Ice scales. Tested, 65; condemned, 12.

Ice cream boxes. Correct, 65; condemned, 13.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Court 53, Knights of Equity was held last night and the feature of the evening was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Sir Knight, Thomas J. Fitzgerald; vice sir knight, Michael J. Sharkey; recording secretary, James J. Sheehan; assistant recording secretary, Michael Casey; financial secretary, Thomas McCann; treasurer, Leo C. Molloy; lecturer, William F. Curdin; auditor, William McCann; inside guard, Edward Flannery; warden, Thomas Hennessey; constable, Edward Costello; trustee, Redmond Welch; John Sullivan, John J. Plunder, Edward J. Boyle and Simon Dean.

Uxtry Raza Circle

There was a large attendance at the Uxtry Raza circle, which was held last night. The affair was presided by a dainty supper, and in the course of the business meeting, considerable business concerning the organization was transacted.

S. H. Hines Lodge

The members of S. H. Hines lodge, 26, K. P. met in regular session last night in their rooms and heard the reading of the semi-annual reports of the officers. The rank of esquire was worked on six pages by the staff. The rank of knight will be worked Friday evening by Wamsitt lodge. The installation of officers of the S. H. Hines lodge, which will be public will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 27.

Loyal Victoria Lodge

At the close of the business meeting of Loyal Victoria lodge, which was held last night in Graceland hall a musical program was given, those taking part being Sisters Clark, Smith and Ida Boughton. Sister Elizabeth Spillane was presented a gift of money by the lodge, the presentation speech being made by the noble grand, Mrs. Silverson was also remembered by being presented a gold ring for bringing in five new members.

Lovell Aerle, Eagles

An interesting meeting of the members of the Lovell Aerle of Eagles was held last night with Worby President Riley in the chair. Several important questions were brought before the meeting, among which was that of the local order, joining the state aerle and State Deputy McCann, who was present, spoke in favor of the movement and urged the members to join the state aerle, explaining the benefits that can be derived from such action. A committee was appointed to look into the next meeting, and hold day of the state aerle at Haverfield, the idea being to have the Lovell aerle participate in this great event.

R. & M. TO MAKE ALLOWANCES

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Thousands of holders of reduced rate tickets on the Boston & Maine railroad, good for 30 days and longer, have been found the service unsatisfactory since the destruction by fire of Tower A at the North station and who in consequence have traveled back and forth to Boston by trolley or otherwise than by train, can have their tickets extended by the railroad's passenger department.

It was stated at the North station yesterday that the passenger department will extend or redeem such tickets and treat the passengers fairly.

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BON MARCHE

BANK PRESIDENT AT 25

JOS. P. KENNEDY, HEAD OF COLUMBIA TRUST CO.—NEPHEW OF CARDINAL O'CONNELL, DIRECTOR

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Joseph P. Kennedy, 25, of East Boston, who was for two years connected with the Massachusetts bank commissioner's office, was yesterday elected president of the \$100,000 Columbia Trust company of East Boston. He is the youngest man to hold the presidency of a banking house in the state of Massachusetts.

Since his graduation at Harvard in 1912 Kennedy has displayed the same energy that characterized his work while in the Boston Latin school and Harvard university in both his academic and athletic work.

For several months after leaving college he worked in the counting rooms of the Columbia Trust company, later going to the bank commissioner's office. He remained there until the time of his resignation in December in anticipation of his election to the presidency of the East Boston institution.

Kennedy was born in East Boston, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Kennedy. His father was prominent in a business way aside from being a state senator at one time and subsequently wire commissioner of the city of Boston.

He attended the Central parochial school, East Boston, and later entered the Boston Latin school. During his course there he played on the baseball nine, being its captain during the last year. In his last year, 1908, he was president of his class.

He entered Harvard university immediately upon completing his course at the Latin school, and as one of his courses took up finance, he became active in athletics and was a member of the nine of 1911, which defeated Yale. In 1912 he coached the Harvard freshman nine.

Following the completion of his college course, he entered the employ of the Columbia Trust company, but was later appointed to the bank commissioner's office under Augustus L. Thordarke. His work in the commissioner's office gave him an opportunity to get an insight into the system under which banks are conducted and enabled him to secure an education which it is considered adequately qualifies him for filling the position to which he was yesterday elected.

Kennedy succeeds Frank C. Wood as president, the latter having declined re-election after having served for 14 years, because of ill-health. Kennedy's father, who had for a number of years been vice-president of the company, withdrew, and Alfred E. Wellington,

who has been treasurer for a long time, was elected both vice-president and treasurer. Other changes in the officials of the company were made through the election of Joseph E. O'Connell, a nephew of Cardinal O'Connell, and Lewis K. Southard as directors.

The Columbia Trust company is capitalized for \$100,000, has deposits of \$175,000 and total assets of \$750,000.

EX-MAYOR HART IS 85

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—More than 400 people prominent in civic affairs remembered Boston's "grand old ex-mayor," Thomas N. Hart, yesterday, and showered his home on Commonwealth avenue with greetings and congratulations in honor of his 85th birthday.

ASKS SEPARATE SUPPORT

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Claiming that her husband left her a year ago last October, after they had been married nearly ten years, Mrs. Josephine Gertrude Lovell, yesterday filed a petition for separate support against Arthur W. Lovell in the Suffolk probate court.

Mr. Lovell is a well-known Boston business man. He is a member of the firm of Blount & Lovell, 100 High street, where he has been located for 20 years. The concern are machinists and gear cutters and also makers of a marine engine which bears Mr. Lovell's name.

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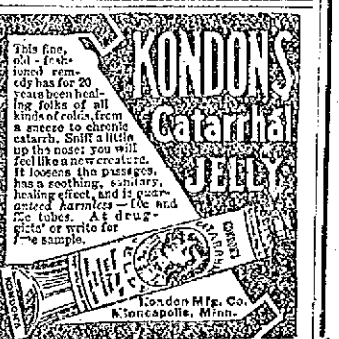
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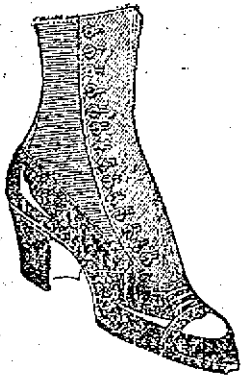
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\$25,000 Worth of Men's, Women's and Children's Fine Shoes



This Is the Greatest Sale Ever Put Before the People of Lowell. Here Are a Few of the Attractive Prices Offered During This Sale.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT

Ladies' \$6.00 Laird, Schöber Co's Patent Colt Button, Kid Top Gun Metal, Button Cloth Top, now **\$4.89**
Ladies' \$5.00 Laird, Schöber Co's Glace Kid Button and Lace, Gun Metal Button and Lace, now **\$4.29**
Ladies' \$4.50 Zeigler's Patent Colt, Button, Cloth Top or Kid Top, now **\$3.69**
Ladies' \$4.00 K. & D. Patent Colt, Button, Cloth Top, now **\$3.29**
Ladies' \$3.50 Laureate and Custom, Kid Button and Lace, now **\$2.95**

Ladies' \$3.50 Grover's Hand-Sewed Button Boots, common sense and opera toes, now **\$2.79**
Ladies' \$4.00 Gun Metal Button and Lace, now **\$2.95**
Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.00 Patent Colt, Button, Cloth or Kid Top, also Gun Metal, Button, Cloth or Kid Top, high toe, now **\$2.69**
Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.00 Patent Colt and Gun Metal Button, Cloth Top, low heel, for growing girls; same in Gun Metal, now **\$2.69**
Misses' \$2.00 Educator, Button or lace, now **\$1.85**
Children's \$1.50 Educator, Button or Lace, now **\$1.35**

MEN'S DEPARTMENT

Men's \$6.00 Nettleton's, Vici Kid, Bals, Kid Lined, also Boyden's Newark Shoes, now **\$4.95**
Men's \$7.00 Tan Grain, Bluchers, "Nettleton's," sizes 6-10 and 6-D, now **\$4.95**
Men's \$6.00 Vici Kid, Kid Lined, Cork Sole Shoes, now **\$4.95**
Men's \$5.00 Young Men's Tan Russia and Gun Metal Calf, invisible eyelets, low heels, now **\$4.29**
Men's \$6.00 Genuine Tan Viking Calf Bals and Bluchers, now **\$4.95**

Men's \$4.00 Box Calf Bluchers, 2 full soles; also the famous Hustler line, now **\$3.49**
Men's \$4.00 Gun Metal Button and Bluchers, single sole, now **\$3.49**
Men's \$3.00 Tan Lotus, Calf, Button and Bluchers, now **\$2.69**
Boys' \$2.75 J. P. S. Storm Shoes, high cut, sizes 1 to 6, now **\$2.19**
Sizes 9 to 13½, now **\$1.89**

SPECIAL

Ladies' \$4.50 Rubber Sole, English Cut, High Shoes, Gun Metal Calf, invisible eyelets, low heel—New Spring Shoes, offered in this sale at **\$3.69**

Come and get fitted to your favorite style at a great saving in price. Our entire stock of High Grade Shoes to choose from. Come early as the sizes will be quickly broken on the best lots.

P. S.—On account of the extreme low prices prevailing in this sale, shoes cannot be charged or exchanged.

To the Wearers of Arch Support Shoes—A 10% reduction will be made on Men's and Women's Arch Support Shoes Purchased during this sale.

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THE BIG SHOE HOUSE

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DEATHS

BLACKTIN—Mrs. May Blacktin died suddenly at the C. I. Hood Co. laboratory yesterday, aged 43 years. The body was taken to her home, 130 Hale street.

MORIARTY—Michael Moriarty died yesterday in Boston, aged 50 years. He is survived by two brothers, Philip of Lowell and John of Ireland, and by three sisters, Misses Kate and Bridget and Mrs. James Rourke. His body was brought to Lowell by Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

MARTIN—Mrs. Louise Gudney Martin, widow of the late John C. Martin, Jr., died yesterday at 283 Concord street. She is survived by one daughter, Ruth; two sisters, Grace and Ruth Guiney, and three brothers, Leonard, John P. and Joseph W. Guiney.

SMITH—Mrs. Bridget Hampson Smith, a well known resident of Dracut, died yesterday at the home of her sister, Miss Margaret Hampson, 2 Pleasant street, after a lingering illness. She is survived by three sons, John W., Andrew J. and Joseph F.; two daughters, Misses Jennie L. and

Julia M.; one sister, Miss Margaret G. Hampson, and one brother, Bernard Hampson.

FUNERALS

QUALEY—The funeral of Daniel F. Qualey, son of Thomas and Mary Kirby Qualey, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 877 Middlesex street. He was a bright, cheerful little fellow and his sudden death has cast a gloom not only in his home but in the neighborhood and among his schoolmates and teachers. Among the many beautiful flowers

were pieces from the following: Family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCarthy, James Reagan and family, Rynne family, John and James Bradley, Officer J. J. Dooly, Little Billy Cox. Owing to the cause of death (memorandum) the burial was private and was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

COLSON—The funeral of George F. Colson, a well known and highly respected citizen of North Billerica, took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 5 Golden street, and was largely attended. There were many beautiful flowers. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Harlow, pastor of the First Baptist church of Billerica, and Rev. Mr. Williams, pastor of the North Baptist church, of North Billerica.

The bearers were Messrs. John E. Powell, Coburn Smith, Matthew Kohlrausch, John Stott, Edgar F. Twombly and Bert Ellis. Burial was in the family lot in the Corner cemetery in North Billerica, where the committal services were conducted at the grave by Mr. Harlow, assisted by Mr. Williams. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. D. Currier Co.

ENGEL—The funeral services of George W. Engel, superintendent of Faulkner's mills, North Billerica, were held yesterday afternoon at his home, 22 Orchard street, North Cambridge and were largely attended. Rev. William F. Wilson, pastor of the West Somerville Baptist church, officiated. There were many beautiful flowers. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at Mt. Auburn cemetery.

ery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

GEORGOPOULOS—The funeral of James Georgopoulos took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Antonia and Angel, 428 Adams street. Rev. Heriton Pannagoulou, pastor of the Greek church, officiated.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fitch*

FUNERAL NOTICES

SMITH—The funeral of the late Mrs. Bridget Hampson Smith will take place Thursday morning at 7:15 o'clock from the home of her sister, Miss Margaret G. Hampson, 2 Pleasant street, Dracut. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

ANNUAL MEETING

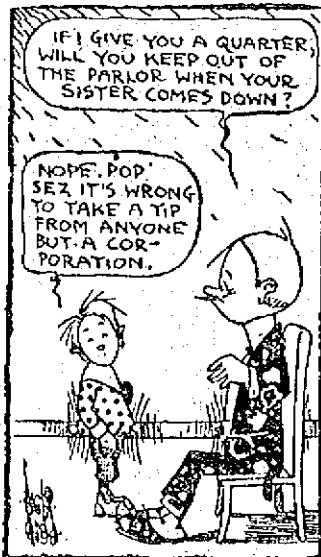
The annual meeting of the Grace Universalist church was held last evening with a large attendance of members.

At 7 o'clock a supper was served by the D. L. Page Co. and this was followed with speeches by Rev. James Baneroff, Rev. C. E. Fisher, Rev. C. R. Skinner, William Sherwell, superintendent of the Sunday school, and others.

Dr. G. Forrest was chosen to act as moderator during the evening and Newell F. Putnam clerk. The reports of the treasurer and collector showed that the society is in a good financial condition and the number of pews rented is much greater than a year ago. Thirty-three new members were voted into the society last evening. Considerable routine business was transacted and the meeting was declared successful in every way.

Don't forget that The Sun issues a morning edition containing all the latest local and telegraphic news.

A LITTLE NONSENSE



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Introductory Sale of Union Made Shoes

Our Mammoth Shoe Factory Was Organized January 1st Under an Arbitration Contract With the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union,

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We Shall Begin a Special Sale to Introduce Our New Lines of Union Made Shoes and Have
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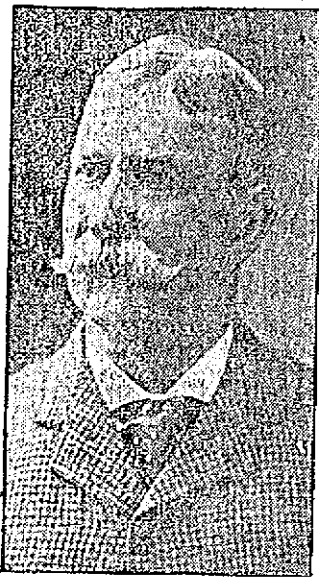
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Appeal in Behalf of the
Men Who Risked
Their Lives

Captain Walker of Lowell
Made Head of State
Organization



JAMES H. WALKER
President

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—An appeal to new commissioners to think occasionally of the men who handle the hose lines at the peril of their lives was made by Chief John A. Mullen of the Boston fire department at the annual dinner of the New England States Veteran Firemen's league yesterday afternoon at the Revere house. Chief Mullen, who was one of the guests, also urged that firemen be subject to not too stringent discipline. "Semi-discipline," he said, "was better suited to them."

Chief Mullen pointed out that the firemen, not only of Boston, but all over New England, have just passed through a very strenuous month. He paid a high compliment to the old men, who, he said, had done noble work and got little out of it.

Other guests and speakers were John J. Mullen of East Providence, District Chief Gorman of Gloucester and Daniel W. Keefe of Fall River and John R. Jackson of Brockton. Mr. Keefe urged his hearers to exert all their influence, both as individuals and as individuals, in the work of fire prevention, including the betterment of building construction. He also made a strong plea for observance of a firemen's memorial day.

At the business meeting, which preceded the banquet, the following officers were elected: James H. Walker

of Lowell, president; Chief Geo. Hunt of Providence, Patrick Manning of Amesbury, Daniel W. Steele of Hartford, Henry J. Eaton of Hartford and Horace W. Gray of Portsmouth, vice presidents; Charles T. Tobin of Salem, secretary, and Geo. A. Sandford of Chelsea, treasurer.

In the absence of President Walker, because of the illness of his mother, Vice President Hunt presided. The secretary was made custodian of the league pipe, used in playboys.

W. H. Hathaway, for 20 years secretary of the organization, declined to accept reelection. As a mark of honor to him the members unanimously voted him a past president of the organization, and also voted to present him a past president's badge. There were exactly 100 present.

SAND-CLAY ROAD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—There are at present about 25,000 miles of sand-clay roads in the United States, mainly in the southern states, according to the office of public roads, U. S. department of agriculture. The time to work the roads is in the spring when the soil is damp. If the working of the roads is deferred until late in summer when they are dry, they are not only much more difficult to work properly, but the cost of repair is greater than if they were worked early in the spring.

Previous to 1894 comparatively little, if any, of these roads existed. The popularity of this type of road is due to the fact that it is cheap, comparatively firm and durable, easy to con-

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS

Nine-tenths of All Stomach Trouble Said to be Due to Acidity

A Physician's Advice on Cause and Cure

A famous physician whose successful researches into the cause and cure of stomach and intestinal troubles, as well as many diseases of the vital organs were directly traceable to a deranged condition of the stomach, which in turn was due, nine times out of ten, to excessive acidity, commonly termed sour stomach or heartburn, which not only irritated and inflamed the delicate lining of the stomach, but also set up gastritis and stomach ulcers. It is interesting to note that he condemns the use of patent medicines as well as of medical treatment for the stomach, stating that he and his colleagues have secured remarkable results by the use of ordinary bismuthated magnesia, which by neutralizing the acidity of the food, removes the source of the trouble. He contends that it is as foolish to treat the stomach itself as it would be for a man who stopped on a tack to rub himself on the foot without first removing the tack. Remove the tack and the foot will heal itself—neutralize the acid and stomach troubles will disappear. Irritating medicines and medical treatments are useless, so long as the contents of the stomach remain acid; remove the acidity and there will be no need for medicine. The inflamed lining of the stomach will then heal itself. Sufferers from acidity, sour stomach or heartburn should get a small bottle of bismuthated magnesia from their druggist, and take a teaspoonful in a glass of water, after each meal, or after each meal, if necessary, this being the dose which the doctor has found most efficacious in all cases.

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OUR SEMI-ANNUAL Twenty-Five Cent Sale

OPENS TOMORROW MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK AND WILL CONTINUE
FOR FOUR DAYS—THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

It's a positive fact that the values we offer in our 25c sales are the best ever offered in Lowell. During this sale we are going to beat all previous records. We take stock February 1st and will sacrifice profits on all lots we do not intend carrying over. Every article or group of articles is 25c—nothing higher.

Every department is represented in this 25 cent sale. Cost price is lost sight of; so that no matter what you need you are almost certain of securing it here tomorrow for A QUARTER. The greatest price-slashing in Lowell Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday. Profits thrown to the wind.

Ruinous prices will prevail. The values run from 39c up as high as a dollar. This naturally means that some items will go with a rush and may not last throughout the day—so that the early comers will be sure of biggest values; other values will be added from time to time, so as to keep the bargain interest up to the highest pitch up to Monday night.

DOORS OPEN AT 9 A. M.

25c SALE OF NOTIONS

Jehn J. Clark's Spool Cotton, 200 yards, regular price 40c each; sale price 13 Spools 25c
Easting Cotton, 500 yards, regular price 50c; sale price 8 Spools for 25c
Hooks and Eyes, regular price 5c each; sale price 13 Cards for 25c
Spring Fasteners, all sizes, regular price 16c; sale price 4 Dozen for 25c
Sewing Silk, 100 yard spools, regular price 5c; sale price 7 Spools for 25c

25c SALE OF SILKS

Plain and Dotted Silk, 27 inches wide, light and medium shades, regular price 25c a yard; sale price 2 Yards for 25c
Foulard Silk, 24 inches wide, regular price 30c yard; sale price 25c Yard

25c SALE OF WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S GLOVES

Women's Finest Milanese Cashmere Gloves, lined, in tan, black, wine, green; regular price 25c 2 Pairs for 25c
Women's Suede Lined Cashmere Gloves, 3-clasp, in white and natural; regular price 39c 25c Pair
Women's Slightly Soiled Kid Gloves, in broken sizes; regular price 69c 25c Pair
Children's Woolen Gloves, in tan, gray, navy and red; regular price 39c 25c Pair

25c SALE OF MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Women's Medium Weight Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, deep garter tops; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c
Women's Silk Lisle Hose, in black and tan, high spliced heels, double soles; also double garter tops; regular price 15c 2 Pairs for 25c
Children's Woolen Hose, gray heel and toe, double knees, heels and toes; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c
Men's Fine Natural Wool Half Hose, improved heel and toe; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c

25c SALE OF COTTON WASH GOODS

12 1/2c Bates' Ginghams; sale price 2 Yards for 25c
12 1/2c Fancy Fleece Flannel; sale price 2 1/2 Yards for 25c
10c Yard Wide Percales, all colors; sale price 3 1/4 Yards for 25c
10c Outing Flannel; sale price 3 1/4 Yards for 25c
5c Apron Ginghams; sale price 5 Yards for 25c
8c Outing Flannel; sale price 4 Yards for 25c
7c Prints, light or dark colors; sale price 5 Yards for 25c
6 1/2c Ginghams and Muslins; sale price 6 Yards for 25c
59c a Pair Blankets; sale price 25c Each

25c SALE RUGS AND DRAPERY DEPT.

Curtain Scrim, 10c value 2 Yards 25c
Cretone, 17c value 2 Yards 25c
Cretone, 12 1/2c value 3 Yards 25c
Curtain Rods, extension, 10c value 3 for 25c
Sash Curtain Rods, full size, 6c value 7 for 25c
Rug Fringe, all colors, 12 1/2c value 3 Yards 25c
Window Shades, with pull complete, for 5 for 25c
Chromo Pictures, 50 subjects, 10c value 5 for 25c
Drummer's Samples of Lace, yard goods, 3 Pieces for 25c
Floor Oil Cloths, extra heavy, 35c value 25c Sq. Yard
Wool and Fiber Stair Carpet, 45c value 25c Yard
Hemp Stair Carpet, 35c value 25c Yard
Hodges' Fiber Matting, 3 to 12 yard pieces, 2 Yards for 25c
Curved End Extension Rods 2 for 25c
Silkoline, yard wide, 12 1/2c value 3 Yards for 25c
Muslin Curtains, 3 tucks, 39c value, 25c Pair

25c SALE OF JEWELRY

1 lot of Jewelry, consisting of brooch pins, buckles, handy pin sets and veil pins; some of these are worth from 25c to 50c; sale price 3 for 25c
Black Beaded Bags, with metal chain and frame and coin purse, with long or short chain, in gun metal and silver; regular price 50c; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF BELTS

Elastic Braid and Leather Belts, with assorted buckles; regular price 35c; sale price 3 for 25c

25c SALE OF BAGS

Ladies' Hand Bags, in black seal grain leather and suede leather, in colors; each fitted with purse; regular price of some was \$1.00; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Corset Covers with deep yoke of embroidery, two rows of torchon lace and ribbon run; regular price 19c. Sale price 12 1-2c
Corset Covers of good nainsook, handsomely trimmed with embroidery, beadings and torchon lace; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c
Women's Drawers, with cluster of tucks and deep ruffle of embroidery; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c Pair
Long White Skirts of good cambric, with hemstitched ruffle and cluster of pin tucks; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c
Children's Colored Flannelette Gowns, 8 to 12 years; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c

25c SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

Cambric insertions and edges, 2 to 5 inches; regular price 12 1-2c yard. Sale price 3 Yards 25c
Wide Swiss insertions and galloons, mostly remnants of 2 to 4 yards; regular price 39c yard. Sale price 25c Yard
Cambric Bandings, 1 inch wide; regular price 16c yard. Sale price 6 Yards 25c

25c SALE OF APRONS

Tea Aprons, edged with val lace, others with wide band of embroidery, slightly counter mused; regular price 50c. Sale price 25c

25c SALE OF DRESS GOODS

38 inch wide Poplar Serge, in the newest shades; regular price 49c yard; sale price 25c Yard

25c SALE OF WOMEN'S NECKWEAR

Dutch Collars, Swiss embroidered and lace; regular price 25c; sale price 2 for 25c
Jackets and Dutch Collars; regular price 25c; sale price 2 for 25c
Lace Collars and Stock Collars; regular price 50c; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF WAISTS

Percale Waists, in assorted colored stripes, made in shirt effects, soft collar and French cuffs. Broken sizes and counter mused. Sale price 25c
Cross Barred Muslin Waists, in three styles, all white, very good values for this special sale. Sale price 25c
Black Solesette Waists, buttoned front and long sleeves, in small sizes, good values. Sale price 25c

25c SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Plain Linen, Lace Trimmed, Embroidered and fulling Handkerchiefs, values up to 10c; sale price 6 for 25c
Women's Plain and Initial Handkerchiefs, 13c value; sale price 2 for 25c
Men's Handkerchiefs, regular price 6 1/2c; sale price 6 for 25c
Men's Plain and Initial Handkerchiefs, 10c value; sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF RIBBONS

Odd Lengths of Ribbons, regular price 15c, 19c, 50c; sale price 2 Yards for 25c

25c SALE OF MILLINERY

Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, regular price 35c; sale price 25c
Women's Felt Hats, regular price 95c to \$1.50; sale price 25c
Hat Frames, new spring styles, regular price 50c; sale price 25c
Fancy Feathers and Flowers, regular price 50c to 95c; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

Women's Pileated Vests, high neck, long sleeves, 39c quality; sale price 25c
Women's Pileated Pants, ankle length, 39c quality; sale price 25c
Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 50c quality; sale price 25c
Children's Pileated Vests and Pants, 49c quality; sale price 25c Each
Boys' Balbriggan Shirts, high neck, long sleeves, 26c quality; sale price 2 for 25c
Boys' Balbriggan Drawers, ankle length, 25c quality; sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF PETTICOATS AND KIMONOS

Women's Black Percale Petticoats, regular price 50c; sale price 25c
Women's Short Flannelette Kimonos, regular price 39c; sale price 25c
Children's Flannelette Dresses, sizes 1, 2 and 3 years, regular price 39c; sale price 25c
Infants' Long Flannelette Skirts and Slips, regular price 35c each; sale price 25c Each
Infants' Bands, small sizes, regular price 25c; sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF TOILET GOODS

1 Pound Can of Crushed Rose and Violet Toilet Powder, regular price 15c; sale price 3 for 25c
Combination—Your choice of 1 box of Colgate's, Dr. Lyon's or Santal Tooth Powder, with any 19c tooth brush, regular price 33c; sale price 25c
Lily of the Valley Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in a box, regular price 10c a box; sale price 3 Boxes for 25c
1 Bottle of Benzoinated Cream and 1 Tube of Daggett & Ramsdell's Cold Cream, regular price 35c; sale price 25c
Hair Brushes, with cherry and black backs, with white porcelain face, regular price 50c; sale price 25c
Hair Nets, all colors, with elastic, regular price 5c; sale price 13 for 25c

25 CENT SALE

25c SALE OF SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

49c Full Size Bleached Sheets, made of good quality cotton, subject to slight imperfections, limit 4 to a customer, and no telephone orders. Sale price 25c Each
11c Pillow Cases, made of fine bleached cotton, size 42x36. Sale price 3 for 25c

17c Hemstitched Pillow Cases, size 45x36. Sale price 2 for 25c

These three lines should be strong enough to fill the cotton department with quick buyers. Saving part of the price on such staple goods, is like finding money.

25c SALE OF TOWELS

17c Turkish Bath Towels, heavy, spongy quality. Sale price 2 for 25c
19c Huck Towels, good large size 50 per cent linen. Sale price 2 for 25c

33c Turkish Bath Towels, extra heavy. Sale price 25c Each
25c Damask Towels, hemstitched, size 19x42, limit 6 to a customer and no telephone orders. Sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF FANCY LINENS

50c and 75c Hand Crocheted Doilies. Sale price 2 for 25c

25c, 29c and 39c Scarfs, Squares and Doilies, size scarfs 18x34, squares 30 inches, and doilies 30 inches round; hemstitched, scalloped and trimmed with torchon lace. Sale price 2 for 25c

50c and 75c Renaissance Doilies and Japanese Drawn Squares. Sale price 25c Each

25c SALE OF CRASHES

10c Unbleached Linen Crash. Sale price 3 1-4 Yards for 25c

13c Warranted All Pure Linen Crash. Sale price 2 1-4 Yards for 25c

25c SALE OF LONG CLOTH

10c Long Cloth, 36 inches wide. Sale price 3 1-4 Yards for 25c

12 1-2c Long Cloth, 36 inches wide. Sale price 2 1-2 Yards for 25c

25c SALE OF TRAY CLOTHS

19c Mercerized Tray Cloths, best American made. Sale price 2 for 25c

39c Warranted All Pure Linen Tray Cloths, hemstitched. Sale price 25c Each

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FREAK BILLS

The person who surveys the bulky volume that contains the acts of the legislature of 1913 and compares it with the slender volumes of past years will be inclined to think that legislative activity was at high water mark last year, but he is liable to change his mind on reading that over 2000 bills have been already presented to the house and senate for action during the present session. Luckily many of these were born to brief existence as far as their blossoming into law is concerned, but the record of last year proves that not all the freak bills die an untimely or richly deserved death in their initial stages.

Freak bills may be attributed to two dominating influences: the natural desire of young legislators to appear active to their constituents, regardless of the subject of their activity, and the growing tendency to carry all municipal and purely local annoyances to the state legislature for redress. Bills are being introduced continually which, if passed after long and tiresome debate would affect a comparatively few people, perhaps in one city or town, while measures that are needed for the general regulation of some widespread evil are debated or given secondary consideration.

As an example of the freak bills that have already been presented to the legislature is one to grant liquor licenses by lot, and another to compel collar manufacturers to have a certain number of layers of linen thickness. There is no need to discuss the former because it is on the face of it ridiculous; the other while perhaps desirable, says undue emphasis on one relatively unimportant phase of laws governing the dry goods business. If the federal laws governing buying and selling are not stringent or complete enough, a state law to regulate the trade should be broader in its scope than a mere matter of collars. In the buying and selling of which there can be little public hardship. There is but slight sense of proportion in a bill of this nature while such great measures as the railroad question, child labor and other matters of industrial and economic importance call for redress.

As an example of the carrying of a local matter to the legislature is a bill presented in the senate for the purpose of permitting a felon of Lawrence to be elected to, or rather reinstated in, the permanent fire force of that city. He was formerly a member but having been granted a leave of absence some years ago was prevented from getting back his rating by a rule of the civil service commission. It may be that there is no other way by which he could get back on the fire force, but if so there is something wrong with a system that would necessitate the taking of such a relatively unimportant matter to the state legislature. Were this thing of every little municipal or private difficulty to be encouraged, the time would come when people would expect domestic quarrels and neighborhood rows to be brought out in the state house instead of in the police court.

The basic trouble in most instances is, of course, in the type of legislator chosen by communities to represent them in the state government. Political promises are the order of the day, and too often the man who promises most gets most votes, irrespective of whether his promises are practical or impossible of fulfillment. The election so gained frequently results in a burlesque of government, for the sensational seeker of office will strive to hold it by sensational means. One of these is the advocating of bills which will make him popular with a certain section of his personal following while arousing the banner of the rest of the state. Freak bills would be a good joke if the subject were not too serious for joking.

INSPECTION OF TENEMENTS

At the regular meeting of the Lawrence city council a day or so ago it was decided to put into operation a new municipal regulation which provides for the inspection of tenements in that city under the indirect supervision of the municipal authorities. With a view towards raising the standard of living and sanitation in some sections, city employees in uniform will start on a systematic examination of the tenement property of the city. Tenements which do not come up to the proper standard will be reported and such action will be taken as will result in greater civic sanitation with its beneficial effects on the community collectively and individually.

The great advantage of this system is that it subjects the tenements to systematic and scientific examination without leaving it to haphazard. Here our board of health may and does make such an examination but it is quite possible that a disastrous example of uncleanness or unsanitary conditions would exist for months without being brought to the attention of the proper authorities. There is much to be regretted in the condition of congested districts in all cities and though some of it is not due to those who live in the tenements or who own them, it is also true that no matter

how great the squalor or suffering there is much that cannot be excused and that could be easily remedied were the slightest regard shown for sanitation and cleanliness.

Were some system of municipal supervision exercised in all our larger cities, the standard of living in tenement property could undoubtedly be raised, and the result would be beneficial to those who may resent the civic intrusion at first as well as by the city as a whole. Lawrence is going along about a troublesome duty in a very practical way. There are laws enough to get results and the chief thing is to get some system of supervision by which these laws may be applied advantageously.

GOVERNOR GOETHALS

It would be a reflection on the justice of public opinion in this country before the world were there any opposition to the selection of Colonel Goethals for governor of Panama, according to official rumors that have not been denied. Of his ability for the position there can be no question for he has given a practical demonstration of ability such as but few possess; this ability was shown as much by his administration of external matters in the republic as by the genius he displayed in the supervision of the canal building. He has been in that country long enough to understand its needs and he is better qualified to apply himself to their solution than one who is unfamiliar with the peculiar situation there. If the position is to be conferred as an honor there is no one more worthy of that honor than the man whose ability and persevering activity carried the greatest engineering achievement of modern times to a successful conclusion. Even if he is first governor of Panama posterity will remember him rather as the builder of the Panama canal.

ESCAPING PRISONERS

Despite the fact that our jails are becoming more and more transformed into apartment houses with modern sanitation privileges, prisoners are as anxious as ever to get out of the gilded cage. The papers recently reported two sensational escapes, one a break from jail in McAlester, Okla., in which three prisoners escaped, shouting wildly as they went and killing seven persons, and the other, a break out of a jail van in Boston. It must be depressing to prison reformers to see that no matter how inviting they make an enforced stay in the government institutions, there are prisoners who do not appreciate a life of ease and comparative luxury. In the application of principles of humanity and mercy it is not well that vigilance should be relaxed.

Rep. Nichols has a bill in the legislature to prevent the publication of "pictures of candidates more than a year old." We presume the age of the pictures is here referred to and if so it may be remarked that few of the candidates are willing to pay for new pictures and the newspapers do not think it worth while.

Huerta is going to resign. Huerta is not going to resign. Nothing but revolution ahead for Mexico. The president is patiently waiting. You pay your money and take your choice of Mexican news.

Would the two employees of the D. & H. who held up the entire road until they were reinstated change places with the president and vice-president of the road?

The average young man who wishes to form an ideal for imitation and guidance could not do better than pattern himself on his mother's idea of him.

Two men surrender in Boston on the charge of election fraud. More arrests to follow. What does "election fraud" mean?

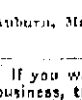
Why not start a Holy Name society as a means of getting all the men to attend church?

WORMS IN CHILDREN

Worms are a danger to the health of a child. Make sure that such is not the case with your child.

Signs of worms in children are: Drowsy stomach, swollen upper lip, sore stomach, offensive breath, hard and full belly with occasional gripings and pains about the navel, pale face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

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Seen and Heard

Even the man who wears a long, full beard has to keep watch of his whiskers to see when it is time to change.

When Dr. Watts wrote: "Birds in their little nests agree," he showed right away that he was not an observant ornithologist.

The singular of "recess" being "goose," what is the singular of "Portuguese"?

Why has it never occurred to any of the slapstick comedians on the stage to use a couple of doughnuts to make a pair of spectacles?

The man who is always frank runs a risk of making an enemy every time he speaks.

Why drink expensive coffee, when you can buy real English chicory for twelve or thirteen cents a pound.

Even the man who can't make both ends meet may be successful in constructing sandwiches, making both ends bread.

This idea of equipping ocean liners with moving pictures for the entertainment of passengers may be good, but surely passengers who are inclined to seasickness aren't looking for any more motion or ocean liners.

If some of the jokes in life were as long as they are broad, two of them would fill the paper.

A man really ought to have a good disposition, when everybody always lets him have his own way in everything.

Speaking of timepieces, the silvery chiming that the poets tell about and the strident whir of the alarm clock are the two extremes.

A man may admire a sensible girl, and still fall in love with one who is merely pretty.

How many of the things you thought a year ago you couldn't do without do you think you can do without today?

Endure is great virtue, and all the more noticeable because it is so rare.

The conductor of the orchestra gets bigger pay than any of his men, and yet he never plays a note.

The girl who chews gum in public doesn't care how she looks.

It is highly improper for a girl to stick out her tongue at you when she isn't pleased, which may be one of the reasons why every now and then you come across a girl who likes to do it.

Have charity for all, including the amateur singers who appear in public entertainments given in aid of charity.

Any man who has brought up a family of seven children to the age where they are self-supporting deserves to be

NO OFF-YEAR FOR APPLES

Down in Somerset county, Me., there is an apple orchard of about 1500 trees that has the reputation of being one of the best in the state. The owner says that the profits that he derives from it make the orchard as good as a government bond.

About 750 of the trees are of the Ben Davis variety and are in the neighborhood of 10 years old. The other trees are 15 to 20 years old. All of the trees are in good bearing condition, and, although there may be years when the crop is small, he realizes good profits even then. The owner has learned that if an orchard is well cared for it will always do well, even if the year is a poor one.

During the season just passed the orchard produced a good yield and brought a high price on account of the fruit being of extra good quality and free from worms. The apples were marketed direct.

The owner has come to the conclusion that potatoes make one of the best

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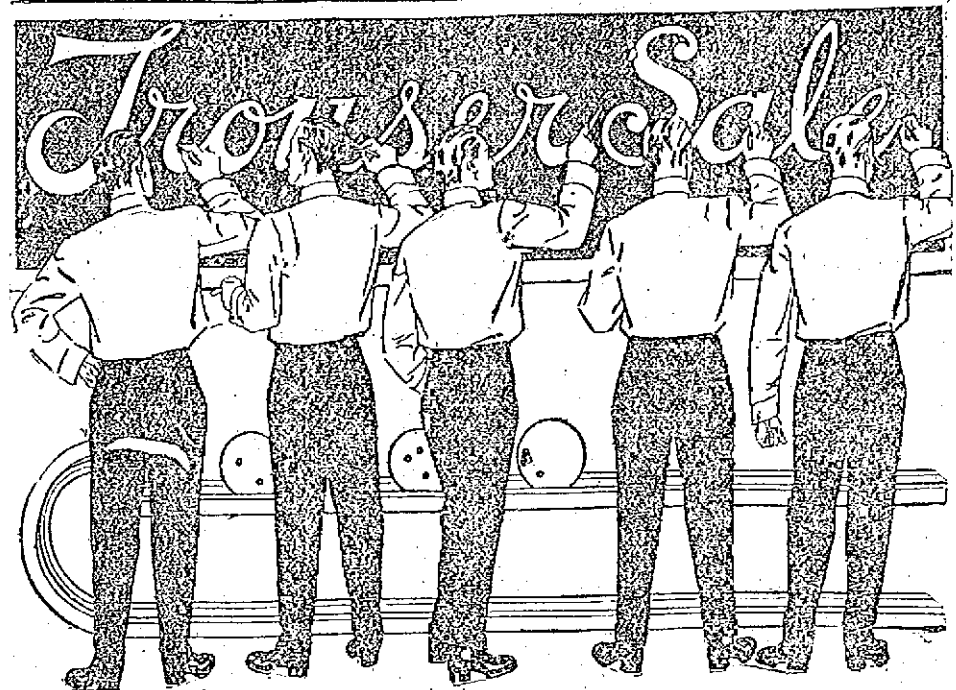
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BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The mystery of the fate of Miss Louise Rooney, the 18-year-old Auburndale girl, who disappeared two months ago, has been cleared up by the police.

While her mother was distressed by thoughts of her daughter abducted or lying dead in Newark, N. J., where she was last heard of, the girl was all the time living happily in Laporte,

Ind., as the bride of an old school sweetheart. Instead of going to the training school for nurses in Newark, for which she was bound when she left her mother, Mrs. John Rooney, in her Lexington street home in November, Miss Rooney, who was really bound for matrimony, met and married John P. Rooney of Waltham.

Recently left his home in Waltham when Miss Rooney left hers in Auburndale. News of the romance was as big a surprise to his parents as to Mrs. Rooney.

ENJOYED SLEIGHRIDE

Several members of the Y. P. & C. E. of the Braintree Centre church and their friends enjoyed a sleighride to Belmont, N. H. and return last night. Despite the inclement weather the party spent a most enjoyable evening and upon reaching their destination those in the party partook of a dainty luncheon and amusements of all sorts were held. The affair was in charge of Messrs. Daniel and Albert Fox.

LOWELL MUTUAL FIRE INS. CO.
At the 35th annual meeting of the members of the Lowell Mutual Fire Insurance Co., which was held yesterday afternoon in the offices of the company in the Hildreth building, the following board of officers was elected for the ensuing year:

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Many times her father tried to learn her whereabouts but no information to help him in his search could be obtained from either Woburn or this city.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

Miss G. Gauntier has given the public many remarkable and thrilling photographs, but never anything quite so tense, so thrilling as "For Ireland's Sake," the feature offering at the Opera House today. It was made last fall in County Kerry, Ireland, and abounds in startling new and novel scenes and scenic effects. The story is written and directed by Sidney Olcott, has to do with the amazing adventures of a young Irish patriot and his sweetheart, Ellen, who has run afoul of the British soldiers and are

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You can use nothing better than Parisian Sage, as sold at drug counters everywhere, to make the hair soft, fluffy and abundant. It stops itching head, invigorates the scalp, and removes dandruff with one application. If your hair is getting thin, or is harsh, dull and lifeless, do not despair, give it attention. Frequent applications of Parisian Sage will rub into the scalp with no wear.

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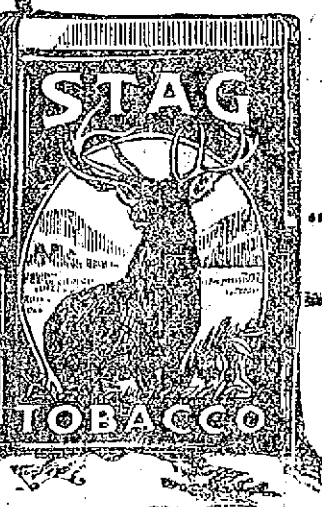
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During the past year, by thousands of smokers, all inclination for any tobacco but STAG.

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These wise old critics are perhaps the most enthusiastic of all.

Convenient Packages: The Handy Half-Size 5-Cent Tin, the Full-Size 10-Cent Tin, the Pound and Half-Pound Tin Humdors and the Pound Glass Humidor.



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IT'S A GOOD IDEA TO
LOOK FOR THE CAUSE!

One common, but often unsuspected cause is coffee-drinking. Yet some persons seem able to get along with coffee—at least for a time. But when headache, bilious days come; breakfast or some other meal doesn't taste good; and the days' work goes wrong. (Ever feel that way?)—then it's time to find out for sure if coffee is causing the trouble in your case.

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POSTUM

—a pure food-drink made of choice wheat. It has a delightful Java-like flavour, but is absolutely free from caffeine or any other drug.

After ten days or two weeks you will be able to decide whether to go back to coffee troubles, or stick to Postum and peace and comfort.

Postum comes in two forms.

Regular Postum—must be well boiled.

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Grocers everywhere sell both kinds.

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Dr. Gagnon's "Nap-a-Mint," the great pain destroyer, like his porcelain dentistry, is far ahead of other methods.

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Persons with neurasthenic tendencies, heart trouble, kidney disease or Bright's disease may use it without ill effect.

When in the state of analgesia the patient acquires a restful mood, knows absolutely no pain and can undergo the most severe dental operation with a contentment akin to pleasure. In fact, ANALGESIA IS A DELICIOUS STAGE pressing on the patient a happy, care-free mood to which there is no ill effect during the condition or afterward.

Where a patient's physical condition forbids the use of anesthetic, the administration of "NAP-A-MINT" to the extent of ANALGESIA is not only perfectly harmless but positively efficient. With people of neurasthenic tendencies, heart disease, kidney trouble or Bright's disease, where the administration of GAS, CHLOROFORM or ETHER MIGHT RESULT MOST SERIOUSLY, the state of ANALGESIA, induced by "NAP-A-MINT" IS ABSOLUTELY HARMLESS. In fact, the oxygen utilized in this wonderful pain destroyer is the greatest known restorative to weakened physical condition and its use has frequently been the cause of prolonging life for days in cases of mortal illness.

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That smoke, especially of the soft coal variety, is an attainable nuisance, unhealthy, unsightly, and making life a burden for the housekeeper, that matters little. But that smoke means a terrific waste and that there are now very practical means of utilizing it—that is another story. So even Pittsburgh—grimy, dirty Pittsburgh—and Cleveland and Cincinnati and other smoke centers are working on a coal naper prepared in the Mellon Institute in Pittsburgh estimates the damage and extra work caused by smoke in the Pittsburgh district at around ten million dollars a year. Cleveland estimates its smoke damage at perhaps six million, Cincinnati at eight million, and so on. All told, the chief engineer of the United States Geological Survey says this damage done by smoke for the whole country at around half a billion dollars. This for the thirty million people living in the cities would be about seven dollars a head or about eighty-five dollars per family.

But all this takes very little account of the value of smoke itself.

It seems absurd to talk of the value of smoke, but in point of fact it is just as valuable as coal or gas or other fuel, because it is simply unburnt fuel.

For example, in the Geological Survey estimate the loss from unburnt coal combustion in the cities is set at only ninety millions. But this is very low. The coal produced in the United States has now a nine-month value of between six and seven hundred millions. It probably costs nearly a billion more to distribute it. Possibly not more than a third of this is used in mere house heating, outside the big heating plants. Most of it is used in the cities, ovens, the blast furnaces, and the big power and heating plants. Of two-thirds of the total it is safe to say that at least one-half is simply thrown away. Put this with the estimated damage done and that is a matter of a cool billion wasted.

In other words, it seems quite probable that simply utilizing present-day knowledge and inventive genius the United States could save well over a billion, and possibly a good deal more, just in smoke. That is half again as much as the cost of the national government. The effect of this saving would be clean, sunny towns and cities with green lawns, rosy checked children and clear skinned men and women, instead of dingy and pallid faces that walk the drear and grimy holes which are the average coal using factory towns of today—sudden wastes that seem more a flare out of some abysmal barbarism, just than a reality of the century of electricity and smokeless powder.

Simple laws against the smoke nuisance would virtually compel the adoption of modern engines and these new inventions with all the immense economy they would achieve. And there seems only one serious objection—that is, the mill owner and the furnace owner—two old to learn and too rich to care.

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LOWELL BOY KIDNAPPED

CITY SOLICITOR WILL INVESTIGATE

City's Rights and Privileges in the
Merrimack River and Land
Along the River's Banks

At a meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon, Commissioner George H. Brown presented a motion that the city solicitor be instructed to make an investigation for the purpose of determining the city's rights and privileges in the control of the waters of the Merrimack and land on the banks of the Merrimack river,

including land filled in by the Locks and Canals. The motion was adopted. There was counsel present at the meeting in the interest of a petition of the Boston & Maine R. R. and the Merrimack Mfg. Co., for the discontinuance of tracks in Tilden street, and the matter was referred to Mayor.

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MAN NEARLY MURDERED

Struck on Head With Leg of a
Table—Was Almost Paralyzed
Afterwards

Albina Pecanco pleaded not guilty, through his attorney, Lawyer J. Joseph O'Connor, to assault and battery upon Manuel J. Espinoza, Lawyer Daniel J. Donahue appeared for the prosecution.

One of the doctors from St. John's hospital testified that the complainant came to the hospital with his head split open and several abrasions about the face. He was in the hospital 13

days. The physician further stated that the complainant had a partial paralysis of his left leg and left arm but that both were cured before he left the hospital. Lawyer Donahue examined the witness at some length and finally had complainant and doctor retire while the latter made another ex-

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FIND SUBMARINE

The "A 7" Which Dis-
appeared in Plymouth
Sound Located Today

PLYMOUTH, England, Jan. 21.—The British submarine, "A 7," which disappeared on Friday last during maneuvers in Plymouth sound, was located today on the bottom at a depth of 200 feet.

FOUND DYING IN HOSPITAL

Mysterious Case in Which Some Rail-
road Man is Suspected of Luring the
Boy From Lowell to the West When
Damage Suits Were Pending

Alexandre Paquette, the 17-year-old boy of Mr. Isander Paquette of 302 West Sixth street, this city, whose mysterious disappearance on Nov. 13, 1912, baffled some of the best known detectives of the country, has finally been located in a hospital at Thompson, Ohio, where he lies in a critical

condition, suffering from tuberculosis. The boy's whereabouts since his departure from Lowell over a year ago is not known, but the father expects to solve the mystery very soon, for in a few days he will leave for the Ohio city, where he expects to learn the story connected with the boy's sudden

disappearance.

It is believed the boy was kidnapped by employees of a railroad company or induced to keep out of the way for some time on account of a law suit which was being brought against the said company to recover for injuries

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VILLA ORDERS CONCENTRATION

Rebel Leader Prepares for Attack and
Issues Statement, Saying That He
Will Lead Troops to "Dethrone the
Usurper of Our Liberties"

CHIHUAHUA, Mex., Jan. 21.—Orders were issued by Francisco Villa today for a concentration of rebel forces along the railroad north of Torreon. The rebels scattered in the state of Durango and Coahuila, and the garrison in Juarez were ordered to join those at Chihuahua, Jimenez and Santa Rosalia with a view of preparing a formidable front in the projected rebel advance southward. Evidences have multiplied that the federals at Torreon are determined if possible to check the rebellion at that point. Torreon is now the northernmost federal stronghold in the heart of the republic. The federals hold that if the revolutionary movement from the north is to be stopped at all it must be halted there and that the loss of Torreon

to the rebels would leave the way open for Villa's advance to Saltillo, Monterey, San Luis Potosi and other cities near Mexico City. One will be directly southward through Zacatecas and Agua Calientes. The other would be eastward through Saltillo and Monterey and then southward through San Luis Potosi.

The overthrow of Torreon by the rebels would leave two routes open to Mexico City. One will be directly southward through Zacatecas and Agua Calientes. The other would be eastward through Saltillo and Monterey and then southward through San Luis Potosi.

As an indication of his intention to head his troops and also as an instance of the summary manner in which he appoints important officers Gen. Villa, while preparing to take the train for Juarez, turned to Gen. Manuel Chao in the state palace and said:

"Gen. Chao, you are now governor of the state of Chihuahua, and I leave everything in your hands while I go at the head of my troops to dethrone the usurper of our liberties."

RESCUED CREW

N. Y. Schooner General
Adelbert Ames Was
Wrecked Today

CHATHAM, Jan. 21.—The New York schooner General Adelbert Ames was wrecked off Monomoy Point early today. Captain Hart and the seven men in his crew were brought safely to shore in the breeches buoy, manned by the lifesaving crews from the Mon-

omoy and Monomoy Point stations. The schooner, laden with laths from St. John, N. B., for Philadelphia struck at 2 a. m. on Bears Shoal and later slid over into the Rip north of the Shoovel Lightship and about 200 yards off shore.

The lifesavers launched their surf-boat but were driven back by the wind and sea. For the first time in many hours the beach apparatus was brought out. A little sand knoll near the schooner offered the only spot for anchoring the apparatus. The lifesavers, working waist deep in water, shot four lines from the beach gun before getting a rope across the wreck craft.

The first man ashore from the Ames told the lifesavers they must hurry, as the men were exsanguinated and it was feared that the schooner would go to pieces any moment. Capt. Hart, the eighth and last man to leave the ship,

was safe on the beach less than half an hour afterward. Captain Kelley of the Monomoy Point lifesaving station said that if the schooner had struck 100 yards north or south of where she did, no rescue would have been possible as there was no place on the shore where the apparatus could have been anchored.

The General Adelbert Ames registered 432 tons net. She was built at Camden, Me., in 1886.

Tango Girls, Miners, Lincoln, Fri.

SEN. LANE HEADS HOME CLUB

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Senator Lane has been unanimously elected president of the recently organized Home club of the department of the interior. The organization has 1800 members and its object is to promote social intercourse.

Miner's novelties, Lincoln hall, Fri.

Second Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S
STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE NEXT EDITION

BEARDSLEY NOW LOCKED UP IN JAIL

Man Who Shot Overseer Putnam
and Defied Sheriff and Posse
for Week Surrendered

MAYVILLE, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Edward Beardsley, the Chautauque county outlaw farmer who has for over a week defied the efforts of Sheriff Anderson and a posse to arrest him, gave himself up to C. D. Backus, a local hotel man, early today and is now locked up in the jail here.

Backus, who was appointed a deputy sheriff by Sheriff Anderson effected the "capture" alone and in keeping with a plan agreed upon between him and Beardsley yesterday. The outlaw was taken to the hotel where breakfast was served. He then went to a barber shop, after which he walked to the sheriff's office and for-

mally gave himself into the custody of the law. He was served with a warrant charging him with assault in the first degree in having shot G. W. Putnam, overseer of the poor of Chautauque county with intent to kill. Locked in his cell, no one was allowed to see him.

Beardsley's surrender came after eight days of open defiance of the law and his effective defense of "Fort Beardsley." With his farmhouse as his stronghold, Beardsley would not allow any of the posse to see and talk with him except the sheriff and he turned his notoriety into money by the sale of autograph postal cards, posing for photographers and moving picture operators.

GEN'L PEARSON

Opinion Due Today—T.
J. Boynton, New Atty.
Gen. Takes Office

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The opinion of Attorney General Swift upon whether Adj. Gen. Gardner Pearson is legally holding the office of adjutant-general is expected this morning. At noon today Mr. Swift will cease to be attorney general and Thomas J. Boynton, his democratic successor, will take office.

Not since Mr. Swift has been in office has he had presented to him a case of such widespread interest. It is so, first, because of the importance of the adjutant-general's office in view of the strict control of the federal law, and, secondly, because of the desire to Gov. Walsh to appoint the successor of Gen. Pearson.

Ex-Adj. Gen. James A. Parker who made the point with Atty. Gen. Swift that General Pearson has no right to the office which he now holds, is confident that his contention will be sustained by Atty. Gen. Swift.

Gen. Parker contends that General Pearson was legislated out of office by one act and that he was not legitimated back into office by a subsequent act which extended the term of the adjutant-general to five years.

The precise question as it comes to Atty. Gen. Swift is simply whether Gen. Pearson without a renewal of his commission is entitled to act.

Tango Girls, Miners, Lincoln, Fri.

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THE SACO-LOWELL SHOPS

Business Improving at "Big Shop"
—Bigelow Carpet Company on
Short Time

It was learned today that the local branches of the Saco-Lowell shops, the "Big Shop" and the Kison Machine Co., are hiring more help and that the business outlook is much better than a few months ago. It was stated at the office of the company that orders were coming in daily and that all departments are kept running full time.

For some time past the local plants have been running but 50 hours a week and it seems that it is the intention of the company to keep that up for it is believed nine hours a day for any workman is sufficient. As fast as business increases more help will be hired. The company has made considerable changes in the plant of the "Big Shop," among these being the transfer of the loom construction to out-of-town plants, and it is said that more repair work of a general nature is being taken in.

A few months ago the company installed on trial what is known as the Taylor system, which gives a record of all the operations of all workmen. In this manner the cost of constructing a piece of machinery can be obtained, and that put together with the cost of material will enable the company to see just how conditions are. This system, according to officials of the local plants, is very satisfactory, but it is claimed by some of the employees that the system is very inefficient and its workings are too much in favor of the company. The new labor organization formed among the machinists employed by this concern in this city has taken up this matter at previous meetings and some say that the system is still the topic of discussion at meetings. One man said that it would result in injury just as did the clock system put into the "Big

Shop." In the days of Mr. Shaw, which helped to deteriorate the entire shop and break up even the management.

Bigelow Carpet Co.

The Taylor stoker which was being installed at the local plant of the Bigelow Carpet Co., was put in operation a few days ago and those interested are much satisfied with the results thus far obtained. It is the intention of the company to equip all its boilers with new stokers in order to do away with the smoke nuisance. There are now 10 boilers in the plant, but the installation of the new stoker boiler will do away with some of the other boilers. Eventually all the old ones will be replaced by Taylor stokers.

Local Agent Talks

"It is strange to note what the mill agents are up against at times," said a local agent this morning, and then he went on and related how a prominent resident of this city called on him a couple of days ago and wanted him to write a letter stating that he was willing to give work to a former resident of this city, who was incarcerated in the Charlestown jail awaiting trial on the charge of larceny.

"I told him I would if it was within my power, and then he went along and explained how his friend who was in Webster, was in a rather tight position, that is, without cash or food and in order to keep the wolf away from the door, he stole an overcoat. He was arrested and taken to the Charlestown jail, where he was awaiting trial."

"I am sure," said the citizen, "you will write a letter stating that you are willing to give my friend work, that the authorities will release him."

"I then told him I could not make my mill the refuge of a peccator, but he insisted and said it was immaterial whether the man worked here or not after his release, for all he wanted was to get his friend out of jail. He pleaded so hard that I finally gave him a few lines and what luck it brought his friend I have not yet learned. This is only a sample of what takes place almost continually in the office of a mill agent.

There are appeals to put parties to

work because the husband is sick. Because the wife is sick, because there is a large family, or because somebody met with misfortune. I wish I could help such cases, but experience has shown that when these people are put to work they either cannot work or they do not want to work."

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Being Abused by Fans and Writers—Is a Substitute for "Charlie" Murphy and the Cardinals

Many persons are looking "around" for an excuse to pick on the Federal league. It used to be St. Louis, Cincinnati and "Charlie" Murphy who were most favored for a third degree session at the hands of our most eminent pickers, but the Federal league has sprung up to fill an aching void, as the staff was running a bit dry on the trio mentioned. For this the Federal league must be given thanks.

There are ways and ways of handling the million savants to the new baseball organization for being on earth, and one way that doesn't seem to be just up to snuff is to start the fires burning. Let us see what the chief backers are restaurant keepers, butchers, bakers, contractors and others known in our set as trades people. What, query some of the critics, does a restaurant keeper know about baseball? He doesn't, but he is closely identified with restaurant keeping and that the Drouthers and their like to step in now with their knowledge of the grand old game and put an experienced hand on the rudder.

Of course, a restaurant keeper doesn't know as much about baseball as he does about pecking portions of food to the smallest possible portion. If he did baseball might become too closely identified with restaurant keeping and that would be bad for the digestion. But it is our humble opinion that a restaurant man is more to be respected than a politician. And the same applies to the butcher, the baker and the contractor. Any man who can serve beef steak all topped out with a French name and charge 300 per cent interest for the torging is deserving of tremendous respect. Any man who can keep the price of a steak soaring in spite of the clamoring of some 50,000 persons also comes in for unlimited credit. Any man who can make a tasty pie out of old shoes and discarded summer clothing is a wizard for being able to get away with it.

No, furthermore, not. If the Federal league is to crumble it will not be because of any lack of business acumen, but because of some 50,000 persons who can't get away with it so nicely in other lines of endeavor should have no difficulty in baseball.

Yet the Federal league was almost disrupted in one fell stroke. And as the trouble started in Chicago one naturally wonders whether the Federal league club in that city is to have a duplicate of C. Murphy. Which brings us right back to where we were—picking on one of the old standbys.

EX-GOV. SULZER ROVER

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 21.—If William Sulzer, former governor, could take off a few years and take on a few pounds, there would be no amateur heavyweight in the country who could outbox him, his instructor, "Al" Burdick, said yesterday.

The former governor has been taking boxing lessons ever since before his impeachment trial began, but nobody learned of it until yesterday.

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ANNUAL MEETING

And Parish Supper at the Grace Universalist Church Last Night

The annual meeting of the Grace Universalist church was held last evening and a parish supper was served in connection with the annual meeting. The supper was followed by impromptu post prandial exercises. Dr. G. Forrest Martin was the toastmaster. The speakers included Rev. James Hancock, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church; Rev. C. E. Fisher of the First Universalist church, and Rev. C. R. Skinner of Grace church. The superintendent of the Sunday school, William Sherwell, spoke on Sunday school work.

Dr. G. Forrest Martin was chosen moderator of the business meeting, and Newell E. Putnam, clerk. The report of the treasurer showed the society to be in a flourishing condition. The collector's report showed a gain for the year. In addition to the new rental statement, ending Dec. 31, 1913, the report of the first few weeks of the present year show 14 additional seats rented. Thirty-three new members were also taken into the society last night.

After the reports of the various officials had been read, Dr. Martin, as chairman of the board of trustees, presented a new plan for the securing of pledges to provide for the full annual budget in advance, and to use the money secured from the various women's societies, which amounts to \$700 or \$800 a year, as a payment on the permanent debt.

MOODY BIBLE CLASS

The second annual banquet and reception of the Moody Bible class, of the Lawrence Street P. M. church, to its members and friends, was held in the church vestry last evening. After supper the following program was in order: Piano solo, Mrs. William Bell, Jr.; class history, Secretary E. M. Kimball; remarks, Rev. A. Hestford; organized classes in general, Teacher C. W. Moore; remarks, J. E. Ulton of Medford; vocal duet, Misses Mary and Lilla Bell; remarks, Rev. Mr. Fowler; Bible questions by Harry Bowen, answered by any one present, in which Miss Mary McKenzie received the lady's prize and David Allen the men's.

The committee on entertainment was: Helen O. Parker, Helen Rule, Thomas W. Vennard, and on the supper, Mrs. A. Butler, Mrs. J. E. Buchanan, Mrs. M. T. Kimball, Mrs. W. Bennett, Mrs. E. Berry.

Officers of the Moody Bible class, Harry Bowen, president; Gustav E. Catherwood, vice president; Edwin M. Kimball, secretary; John Berry, assistant secretary; Thomas W. Vennard, treasurer; Helen O. Parker, treasurer; Charles W. Moore, teacher.

FOOTBALL RULES COMMITTEE

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—E. K. Hall, chairman of the Inter-collegiate football rules committee, has called a meeting of the two committees in this city for Friday evening, Feb. 6, at 8 o'clock. The members of the two committees which sit jointly for 1914 are as follows:

Intercollegiate committee—Prof. A. A. Stagg, Chicago; Captain Joseph W. Beacham, Cornell; Crawford, Harvard; Prof. Paul J. Dashiell, New York; and William Morrice, Pennsylvania, and Walter Camp, Yale.

National collegiate committee: Lieut. Disulman, Army; D. E. Hall, Dartmouth; Prof. Dabbitt, Harvard; Prof. Savage, Oberlin; Harris Coe, Sewanee; Dr. H. L. Williams, Minnesota.

STEAMER DISABLED

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Jan. 20.—The steamer Oscar III of the Scandinavian-American line was disabled yesterday in long 33 west; lat. 57 north, while on her way from Copenhagen to New York, according to a wireless despatch from the captain. He says that during a heavy north-westerly gale when the sea was running high the starboard engine was rendered useless several rods and pistons and a cylinder being broken. The captain expected to be able to proceed with the port engine at a speed of eight knots as soon as the weather moderated. The passengers on board, numbering 254, were all well.

SIGN SEA SAFETY AGREEMENT

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The task of securing greater security for ships at sea and their passengers was dealt with in a thorough manner by the International Conference on Safety at Sea, which came to an end yesterday when the delegates, sent by 51 nations, signed a convention laying down regulations for the future.

ANNUAL REPORT

Of Sealer of Weights and Measures Goes to City Council

John W. Stott, sealer of weights and measures, has submitted his annual report and it went to the municipal council today. In accordance with the recommendation of Thure Hanson, state commissioner of weights and measures, one additional employee in the department was added during the latter part of 1913. The work done by the department for the year is described in the report as follows:

Track, wagon and platform scales, over 500 pounds: Tested, 93; adjusted, 23; sealed, 74; condemned, 4.
Platform scales, under 500 pounds: Tested, 332; adjusted, 259; sealed, 778; condemned, 52.
Overhead track: Tested, 31; sealed, 30; condemned, 1.
Cotton bunnies: Tested, 29; sealed, 25; condemned, 4.
Computing scales: Tested, 215; sealed, 271; condemned, 47.
Slat machines: Tested, 60; sealed, 55; condemned, 2.
Spring and counter scales: Tested, 1571; sealed, 15,421; adjusted, 287; condemned, 232.
Junk scales: Tested, 200; sealed, 189; condemned, 40.
Weights: Tested, 6137; sealed, 6130; adjusted, 1134; condemned, 7.
Dry measures: Tested, 93; sealed, 81; condemned, 14.
Liquid measures: Tested, 1839; sealed, 1464; condemned, 450.
Pumps: Tested, 75; sealed, 67; adjusted, 15; condemned, 8.
Yard-measures: Tested, 395; sealed, 344; condemned, 54.
Milk and other jars: Tested, 630; sealed, 659; condemned, 49.
Piceses received in stores: Correct, 100; incorrect, 50.
Inspection of junk and peddlers' wagons: 359.
Coke and coal bags sealed, 140.
Ice scales: Sealed, 65; condemned, 12.
Ice cream boxes: Correct, 55; condemned, 18.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Court 53, Knights of Equity was held last night and the feature of the evening was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: St. knight, Thomas J. Sheehan; vice st. knight, Michael J. Sharkey; recording secretary, James J. Sheehan; assistant recording secretary, Michael Casey; financial secretary, Thomas McCann; treasurer, Leo C. Molloy; lecturer, William F. Curran; auditor, William McCann; inside guard, Edward Flannery; warden, Thomas Heenan; conductor, Edward Costello; trustees, Redmond Welch, John Sullivan, John J. Under, Edward J. Heyle and Simon Dean.

Betsy Bass Cleave
There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the members of Betsy Bass Cleave, which was held last night. The affair was presided by a dainty supper, and in the course of the business meeting considerable business concerning the organization was transacted.

S. H. Hines Lodge
The members of S. H. Hines lodge, 55, K. P. met in regular session last night in their rooms and heard the reading of the semi-annual reports of the officers. The rank of esquire was worked on six pages by the staff. The rank of knight will be worked Friday evening by Wamont lodge. The installation of officers of the S. H. Hines lodge, which will be public will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 27.

Loyal Victoria Lodge

At the close of the business meeting of Loyal Victoria lodge which was held last night in Grafton hall a musical program was given, those taking part being: Stators, Clark, Smith and Ida Boughton. Sister Elizabeth Spillane was presented a gift of money by the lodge, the presentation speech being made by the noble grand. Mrs. Silverman was also remembered by being presented a gold ring for bringing in five new members.

Lowell Aerle, Eagles

An interesting meeting of the members of the Lowell Aerle of Eagles was held last night with Worthy President Riley in the chair. Several important questions were brought before the meeting among which was that of the local order joining the state aerle and State Deputy McCann, who was present, spoke in favor of the movement and urged the members to join the state aerle, explaining the benefits that can be derived from such action. A committee was appointed to look into the next meeting and field day of the state aerle at Pittsfield, the idea being to have the Lowell aerle participate in this great event.

H. & M. TO MAKE ALLOWANCES

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Thousands of holders of reduced rate tickets on the Boston & Maine railroad, good for 35 days and longer, who have found the service unsatisfactory since the destruction by fire of Tower A at the North station and who in consequence have traveled back and forth to Boston by trolley or otherwise than by train, can have their tickets extended by the railroad's passenger department.

It was stated at the North station yesterday that the passenger department will extend or redeem such tickets and treat the passengers fairly.

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BON MARCHE

BANK PRESIDENT AT 25

JOS. P. KENNEDY, HEAD OF COLUMBIA TRUST CO.—NEPHEW OF CARDINAL O'CONNELL, DIRECTOR

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Joseph P. Kennedy, 25, of East Boston, who was for two years connected with the Massachusetts bank commissioner's office, was yesterday elected president of the \$100,000 Columbia Trust company of East Boston. He is the youngest man to hold the presidency of a banking house in the state of Massachusetts.

Since his graduation at Harvard in 1912 Kennedy has displayed the same energy that characterized his work while in the Boston Latin school and Harvard university in both his academic and athletic work.

For several months after leaving college he worked in the counting rooms of the Columbia Trust company, later going to the bank commissioner's office. He remained there until the time of his resignation in December in anticipation of his election to the presidency of the East Boston Institution.

Kennedy was born in East Boston, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Kennedy. His father was prominent in a business way aside from being a state senator at one time and subsequently a state commissioner of the city of Boston.

He attended the Central parochial school, East Boston, and later entered the Boston Latin school. During his course there he played on the baseball line, being its captain during the last year. In his last year, 1908, he was president of his class.

He entered Harvard university immediately upon completing his course at the Latin school and at one of his courses took up finance. He became active in athletics and was a member of the nine of 1911, which defeated Yale. In 1912 he coached the Harvard freshman nine.

Following the completion of his college course, he entered the employ of the Columbia Trust company, but was later appointed to the bank commissioner's office under Augustus L. Thorndike. His work in the commissioner's office gave him an opportunity to get an insight into the system under which banks are conducted and enabled him to secure an education which it is considered adequately qualifies him for filling the position to which he was yesterday elected.

Kennedy succeeds Frank C. Wood as president, the latter having declined re-election after having served for 14 years, because of ill-health. Kennedy's father, who had for a number of years been vice-president of the company, withdrew, and Alfred E. Wellington,

who has been treasurer for a long time, was elected both vice-president and treasurer. Other changes in the officials of the company were made through the election of Joseph E. O'Connell, a nephew of Cardinal O'Connell, and Lewis K. Southard as directors.

The Columbia Trust company is capitalized for \$100,000, has deposits of \$575,000 and total assets of \$750,000.

EX-MAYOR HART IS 85

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—More than 400 people prominent in civic affairs remembered Boston's "grand old mayor," Thomas N. Hart, yesterday, and showered his home on Commonwealth avenue with greetings and congratulations in honor of his 85th birthday.

ASKS SEPARATE SUPPORT

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Claiming that her husband left her a year ago last October, after they had been married nearly ten years, Mrs. Josephine Gertrude Lovell, yesterday filed a petition for separate support against Arthur W. Lovell in the Suffolk probate court.

Mrs. Lovell is a well-known Boston business woman. He is a member of the firm of Blount & Lovell, 100 High street, where he has been located for 20 years. The couple are machinists and gear cutters and also makers of a marine engine which bears Mr. Lovell's name.

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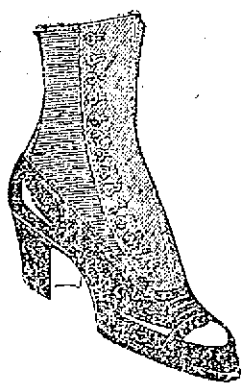
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This Is the Greatest Sale Ever Put Before the People of Lowell. Here Are a Few of the Attractive Prices Offered During This Sale.



LADIES' DEPARTMENT

Ladies' \$6.00 Laird, Schober Co.'s Patent Colt Button, Kid Top Gun Metal, Button Cloth Top, now **\$4.89**
Ladies' \$5.00 Laird, Schober Co.'s Glace Kid Button and Lace, Gun Metal Button and Lace, now **\$4.29**
Ladies' \$4.50 Zeigler's Patent Colt, Button, Cloth Top or Kid Top, now **\$3.69**
Ladies' \$4.00 K. & D. Patent Colt, Button, Cloth Top, now **\$3.29**
Ladies' \$3.50 Laureate and Custom, Kid Button and Lace, now **\$2.95**

Ladies' \$4.50 Grover's Hand-Sewed Button Boots, common sense and opera toes, now **\$2.79**
Ladies' \$4.00 Gun Metal Button and Lace, now **\$2.95**
Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.00 Patent Colt, Button, Cloth or Kid Top; also Gun Metal, Button, Cloth or Kid Top, high toe, now **\$2.69**
Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.00 Patent Colt and Gun Metal Button, Cloth Top, low heel, for growing girls; same in Gun Metal, now **\$2.69**
Misses' \$2.00 Educator, Button or lace, now **\$1.85**
Children's \$1.50 Educator, Button or Lace, now **\$1.35**

MEN'S DEPARTMENT

Men's \$6.00 Nettleton's, Vici Kid Bats, Kid Lined; also Boyden's Newark Shoes, now **\$4.95**
Men's \$7.00 Tan Grain Bluchers, "Nettleton's," size 6-C and 6-D, now **\$4.95**
Men's \$6.00 Vici Kid, Kid Lined, Cork Sole Shoes, now **\$4.95**
Men's \$5.00 Young Men's Tan Russia and Gun Metal Calf, invisible eyelets, low heels, now **\$4.29**
Men's \$6.00 Genuine Tan Viking Calf Bats and Bluchers, now **\$4.95**

Men's \$4.00 Box Calf Bluchers, 2 full soles; also the famous Hustler line, now **\$3.49**
Men's \$4.00 Gun Metal Button and Bluchers, single sole, now **\$3.49**
Men's \$3.00 Tan Lotus, Calf, Button and Bluchers, now **\$2.69**
Boys' \$2.75 L. P. S. Storm Shoes, high cut, sizes 1 to 6, now **\$2.19**
Sizes 9 to 13½, now **\$1.89**

SPECIAL

Ladies' \$4.50 Rubber Sole, English Cut, High Shoes, Gun Metal Calf, invisible eyelets, low heel—New Spring Shoes, offered in this sale at **\$3.69**

Come and get fitted to your favorite style at a great saving in price. Our entire stock of High Grade Shoes to choose from. Come early as the sizes will be quickly broken on the best lots.

P. S.—On account of the extreme low prices prevailing in this sale, shoes cannot be charged or exchanged.

To the Wearers of Arch Support Shoes—A 10% reduction will be made on Men's and Women's Arch Support Shoes Purchased during this sale.

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DEATHS

BLACKLIN—Mrs. May Blacklin died suddenly at the C. I. Hood Co. laboratory yesterday, aged 43 years. The body was taken to her home, 130 Hale street.

MORIARTY—Michael Moriarty died yesterday in Boston, aged 50 years. He is survived by two brothers, Philip of Lowell and John of Ireland, and by three sisters, Misses Kate and Bridget and Mrs. James Bourke. His body was brought to Lowell by Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

MARTIN—Mrs. Louise Guiney Martin, widow of the late John C. Martin, Jr., died yesterday at 283 Concord street. She is survived by one daughter, Ruth; two sisters, Grace and Ruth Guiney, and three brothers, Leonard, John P. and Joseph W. Guiney.

SMITH—Mrs. Bridget Hampson Smith, a well known resident of Dracut, died yesterday at the home of her sister, Miss Margaret Hampson, 2 Pleasant street, after a lingering illness. She is survived by three sons, John W., Andrew J. and Joseph F.; two daughters, Misses Jennie L. and

Julia M.; one sister, Miss Margaret G. Hampson, and one brother, Bernard Hampson.

FUNERALS

QUALEY—The funeral of Daniel F. Qualey, son of Thomas and Mary Kirby-Qualey, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 877 Middlesex street. He was a bright, cheerful little fellow and his sudden death has cast a gloom not only in his home but in the neighborhood and among his schoolmates and teachers. Among the many beautiful flowers

were pieces from the following: Family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCarthy, James Reagan and family, Ryan family, John and James Bradley, Officer J. J. Duoley, Little Billy Cox. Owing to the cause of death (membranous croup) the burial was private and was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

COLSON—The funeral of George F. Colson, a well known and highly respected citizen of North Billerica, took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 5 Colson street, and was largely attended. There were many beautiful flowers. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Harlow, pastor of the First Baptist church of Billerica, and Rev. Mr. Williams, pastor of the North Baptist church, of North Billerica.

The bearers were Messrs. John E. Powell, Coburn Smith, Matthew Kohlrausch, John Stott, Edgar F. Twombly and Bert Ellis. Burial was in the family lot in the corner cemetery in North Billerica, where the committal services were conducted at the grave by Mr. Harlow, assisted by Mr. Williams. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

ENGEL—The funeral services of George W. Engel, superintendent of Faulkner's mills, North Billerica, were held yesterday afternoon at his home, 22 Orchard street, North Cambridge and were largely attended. Rev. William F. Wilson, pastor of the West Somerville Baptist church, officiated. There were many beautiful flowers. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at Mt. Auburn cemetery.

The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

GEORGOPOULOS—The funeral of James Georgopoulos took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Antonia and Angel, 428 Adams street, Rev. Herilton Pantagapoulos, pastor of the Greek church, officiated.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Johnston*

FUNERAL NOTICES

SMITH—The funeral of the late Mrs. Bridget Hampson Smith will take place Thursday morning at 7:45 o'clock from the home of her sister, Miss Margaret G. Hampson, 2 Pleasant street, Dracut. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

ANNUAL MEETING

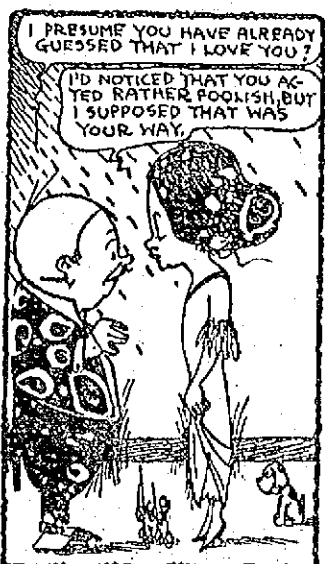
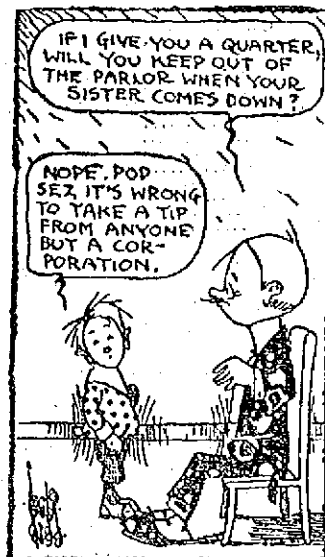
The annual meeting of the Grace Universalist church was held last evening with a large attendance of members.

At 7 o'clock a supper was served by the D. L. Page Co. and this was followed with speeches by Rev. James Hancock, Rev. C. E. Fisher, Rev. C. R. Skinner, William Sherwell, superintendent of the Sunday school, and others.

Dr. G. Forrest was chosen to act as moderator during the evening and Newell F. Putnam clerk. The reports of the treasurer and collector showed that the society is in a good financial condition and the number of pews rented is much greater than a year ago. Thirty-three new members were voted into the society last evening. Considerable routine business was transacted and the meeting was declared successful in every way.

Don't forget! That The Sun issues a noon edition containing all the latest local and telegraphic news.

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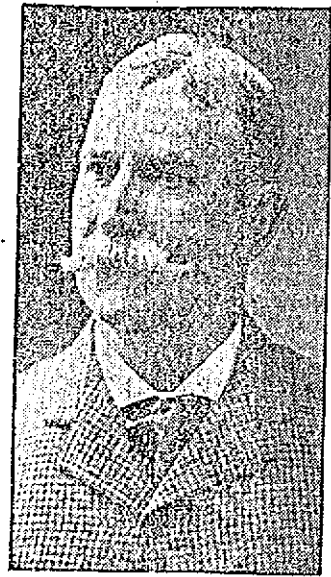
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N. E. VETERAN FIREMEN'S LEAGUE

Appeal in Behalf of the
Men Who Risked
Their LivesCaptain Walker of Low-
ell Made Head of State
OrganizationJAMES H. WALKER
President

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—An appeal to the men who handle the hose lines at the peril of their lives was made by Chief John A. Mullen of the Boston fire department at the annual dinner of the New England States Veteran Firemen's League yesterday afternoon at the Revere house. Chief Mullen, who was one of the guests, also urged that firemen be subject to not too stringent discipline. "Semi-discipline," he said, "was better suited to them."

Chief Mullen pointed out that the firemen, not only of Boston, but all over New England, have just passed through a very strenuous month. He paid a high compliment to the old call men, who, he said, had done noble work and got little out of it.

Other guests and speakers were John J. Mullen of East Providence, District Chief Gorman of Gloucester and Daniel W. Keefe of Fall River and John R. Jackson of Brockton. Mr. Keefe urged his hearers to exert all their influence, both as an organization and as individuals, in the work of fire prevention, including the betterment of building construction. He also made a strong plea for observance of a firemen's memorial day.

At the business meeting, which preceded the banquet, the following officers were elected: James H. Walker

SAND-CLAY ROAD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—There are at present about 35,000 miles of sand clay roads in the United States, mainly in the southern states, according to the office of public roads, U. S. department of agriculture. The time to work the roads is in the spring when the soil is damp. If the working of the roads is deferred until late in summer when they are dry, they are not only much more difficult to put in proper shape but the cost of repair is greater than if they were worked early in the spring.

Previous to 1871 comparatively little use of these roads existed. The popularity of this type of road is due to the fact that it is cheap, comparatively firm and durable, easy to con-

ACID STOMACHS
ARE DANGEROUSNine-tenths of All Stomach Trouble
Said to be Due to Acidity

A Physician's Advice on Cause and Cure

A famous physician whose successful researches into the cause and cure of stomach and intestinal diseases have earned for him an international reputation, said in the course of a recent lecture that nearly all intestinal troubles, as well as many diseases of the vital organs were directly traceable to a deranged condition of the stomach which in turn was due nine times out of ten to excessive acidity, commonly termed sour stomach or heartburn, which not only irritated and inflamed the delicate lining of the stomach, but also set up gastritis and stomach ulcers. It is interesting to note that he condemns the use of patent medicines as well as of medical treatment for the stomach, stating that he and his colleagues have secured remarkable results by the use of ordinary bisulphate of magnesia, which, by neutralizing the acidity of the food, removes the source of the trouble. He contends that it is as foolish to treat the stomach itself as it would be for a man who stepped on a tack to rub liniment on the foot without first removing the tack. Remove the tack and the foot will heal itself—neutralize the acid and stomach troubles will disappear. Irritating and drastic medical treatments are useless, so long as the contents of the stomach remain acid; remove the acidity, and there will be no need for medicine. The inflamed lining of the stomach will then heal itself. Sufferers from acidity, sour stomach or heartburn should take a small bottle of bisulphate of magnesia from their druggist, and take a teaspoonful in a quarter of a glass of water after each meal, repeating, in fifteen minutes, if necessary. This being the dose which the doctor has found most efficacious in all cases.

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Twenty-Five Cent SaleOPENS TOMORROW MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK AND WILL CONTINUE
FOR FOUR DAYS—THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

It's a positive fact that the values we offer in our 25c sales are the best ever offered in Lowell. During this sale we are going to beat all previous records. We take stock February 1st and will sacrifice profits on all lots we do not intend carrying over. Every article or group of articles is 25c—nothing higher.

Every department is represented in this 25 cent sale. Cost price is lost sight of; so that no matter what you need you are almost certain of securing it here tomorrow for A QUARTER. The greatest price-slashing in Lowell Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday. Profits thrown to the wind.

Ruinous prices will prevail. The values run from 39c up as high as a dollar. This naturally means that some items will go with a rush and may not last throughout the day—so that the early comers will be sure of biggest values; other values will be added from time to time, so as to keep the bargain interest up to the highest pitch up to Monday night.

DOORS OPEN AT 9 A. M.

25c SALE OF NOTIONS

John J. Clark's Spool Cotton, 200 yards, regular price 4c each; sale price 13 Spools 25c
Easting Cotton, 500 yards, regular price 5c; sale price 25c
Hocks and Eyes, regular price 5c card; sale price 13 Cards for 25c
Spring Fasteners, all sizes, regular price 10c; sale price 4 Dozen for 25c
Sewing Silk, 100 yard spools, regular price 5c; sale price 7 Spools for 25c

25c SALE OF SILKS

Plain and Dotted Silk, 27 inches wide, light and medium shades, regular price 25c a yard; sale price 2 Yards for 25c
Foulard Silk, 24 inches wide, regular price 30c yard; sale price 25c Yard

25c SALE OF WOMEN'S AND
CHILDREN'S GLOVES

Women's Finest Milanese Cashmere Gloves, fleeced lined, in tan, black, wine, green; regular price 25c 2 Pairs for 25c
Women's Suede Lined Cashmere Gloves, 3-clasp, in white and natural; regular price 39c 2 Pairs for 25c
Women's Slightly Soiled Kid Gloves, in broken sizes; regular price 59c 25c Pair
Children's Woolen Gloves, in tan, gray, navy and red; regular price 25c 25c Pair

25c SALE OF MEN'S, WOMEN'S
AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Women's Medium Weight Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, deep garter tops; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c
Women's Silk Lisle Hose, in black and tan, high spliced heels, double soles; also double garter tops; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c
Children's Woolen Hose, gray heel and toe, double knees, heels and toes; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c
Men's Fine Natural Wool Half Hose, improved heel and toe; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c

25c SALE OF COTTON
WASH GOODS

12½c Bates' Gingham; sale price 2½ Yards for 25c
12½c Fancy Fleeced Flannel; sale price 2½ Yards for 25c
10c Yard Wide Percale, all colors; sale price 3¼ Yards for 25c
10c Outing Flannel; sale price 3¼ Yards for 25c
5c Apron Gingham; sale price 5 Yards for 25c
8c Outing Flannel; sale price 4 Yards for 25c
7c Prints, light or dark colors; sale price 5 Yards for 25c
6½c Gingham and Muslin; sale price 5 Yards for 25c
59c a Pair Blankets; sale price 25c Each

25c SALE RUGS AND DRAPERY
DEPT.

Curtain Scries, 10c value 2 Yards 25c
Cretone, 17c value 2 Yards 25c
Cretone, 12½c value 3 Yards 25c
Curtain Rods, extension, 10c value 3 for 25c
Sash Curtain Rods, full size, 5c value 7 for 25c
Rug Fringe, all colors, 12½c value 3 Yards 25c
Window Shades, with pull complete, for 25c
Chromo Pictures, 50 subjects, 19c value 3 for 25c
Drummer's Samples of Lace, yard goods, 3 Pieces for 25c
Floor Oil Cloths, extra heavy, 35c value 25c Sq. Yard
Wool and Fiber Stair Carpet, 45c value 25c Yard
Hemp Stair Carpet, 35c value 25c Yard
Hodges' Fiber Matting, 3 to 12 yard pieces, 2 Yards for 25c
Curved End Extension Rods, 2 for 25c
Silkline, yard wide, 12½c value 3 Yards for 25c
Muslin Curtains, 5 tucks, 39c value, 25c Pair

25c SALE OF JEWELRY

1 lot of Jewelry, consisting of brooch pins, buckles, handy pin sets and veil pins; some of these are worth from 25c to 60c; sale price 3 for 25c
Black Beaded Bags, with metal chain and frame and coin purse, with long or short chain, in gun metal and silver; regular price 50c; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF BELTS

Elastic Braid and Leather Belts, with assorted buckles; regular price 26c; sale price 3 for 25c

25c SALE OF BAGS

Ladies' Hand Bags, in black seal grain leather and suede leather, in colors, each fitted with pursey regular price of some was \$1.00; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF MUSLIN
UNDERWEAR

Corset Covers with deep yoke of embroidery, two rows of torchon lace and ribbon run; regular price 19c. Sale price 12 1-2c
Corset Covers of good nainsook, handsomely trimmed with embroidery, beadings and torchon lace; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c
Women's Drawers, with cluster of tucks and deep ruffle of embroidery; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c Pair
Long White Skirts of good cambric, with hemstitched ruffle and cluster of pin tucks; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c
Children's Colored Flannelette Gowns, 6 to 12 years; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c

25c SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

Cambric insertions and edges, 2 to 5 inches; regular price 12 1-2c yard. Sale price 3 Yards 25c
Wide Swiss insertions and galloons, mostly remnants of 2 to 4 yards; regular price 39c yard. Sale price 25c Yard
Cambric Beadings, 1 inch wide; regular price 10c yard. Sale price 6 Yards 25c

25c SALE OF APRONS

Tea Aprons, edged with val lace, others with wide band of embroidery, slightly counter muscled; regular price 50c. Sale price 25c

25c SALE OF DRESS GOODS

38 inch wide Poplar Serge, in the newest shades; regular price 49c yard; sale price 25c Yard

25c SALE OF WOMEN'S
NECKWEAR

Dutch Collars, Swiss embroidered and lace; regular price 25c; sale price 2 for 25c
Jabots and Dutch Collars; regular price 25c; sale price 2 for 25c
Lace Collars and Stock Collars; regular price 50c; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF WAISTS

Percale Waists, in assorted colored stripes, made in shirt effects, soft collar and French cuffs. Broken sizes and counter muscled. Sale price 25c
Cross Barred Muslin Waists, in three styles, all white, very good values for this special sale. Sale price 25c
Black Solsette Waists, buttoned front and long sleeves, in small sizes, good values. Sale price 25c

25c SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Plain Linen, Lace Trimmed, Embroidered and Initial Handkerchiefs, values up to 10c; sale price 6 for 25c
Women's Plain and Initial Handkerchiefs, 15c value; sale price 2 for 25c
Men's Handkerchiefs, regular price 5½c; sale price 5 for 25c
Men's Plain and Initial Handkerchiefs, 12c value; sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF RIBBONS

Odd Lengths of Ribbons, regular price 15c, 19c, 50c; sale price 2 Yards for 25c

25c SALE OF MILLINERY

Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, regular price 35c; sale price 25c
Women's Felt Hats, regular price 89c to 1.50; sale price 25c
Hat Frames, new spring styles, regular price 50c; sale price 25c
Fancy Feathers and Flowers, regular price 50c to 85c; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF WOMEN'S AND
CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

Women's Fleeced Vests, high neck, long sleeves, 59c quality; sale price 25c
Women's Fleeced Pants, ankle length, 39c quality; sale price 25c
Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 60c quality; sale price 25c
Children's Fleeced Vests and Pants, 39c quality; sale price 25c Each
Boys' Balbriggan Shirts, high neck, long sleeves, 25c quality; sale price 2 for 25c
Boys' Balbriggan Drawers, ankle length, 25c quality; sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF PETTICOATS
AND KIMONOS

Women's Black Percale Petticoats, regular price 50c; sale price 25c
Women's Short Flannelette Kimonos, regular price 39c; sale price 25c
Children's Flannelette Dresses, sizes 1, 2 and 3 years, regular price 39c; sale price 25c
Infants' Long Flannelette Skirts and Slips, regular price 35c each; sale price 25c Each
Infants' Bands, small sizes, regular price 25c; sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF TOILET GOODS

1 Pound Can of Crushed Rose and Violet Talcum Powder, regular price 15c; sale price 25c
Combination Your choice of 1 box of Colgate's Dr. Lyon's or Sunlight Tooth Powder with any 15c tooth brush; regular price 35c; sale price 25c
Lily of the Valley Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in a box, regular price 10c a box; sale price 3 Boxes for 25c
1 Bottle of Benzoinated Cream and 1 Tube of Daggott & Hamdulla Cold Cream, regular price 35c; sale price 25c
Hair Brushes, with cherry and black backs, with white perslyn face, regular price 50c; sale price 25c
Hair Nets, all colors, with elastic, regular price 50c; sale price 13 for 25c

25
CENT SALE25c SALE OF SHEETS AND
PILLOW CASES

49c Full Size Bleached Sheets, made of good quality cotton, subject to slight imperfections, limit 4 to a customer, and no telephone orders. Sale price 25c Each
11c Pillow Cases, made of fine bleached cotton, size 42x36. Sale price 3 for 25c
17c Hemstitched Pillow Cases, size 45x36. Sale price 2 for 25c
These three lines should be strong enough to fill the cotton department with quick buyers. Saving part of the price on such staple goods, is like finding money.

25c SALE OF FANCY LINENS

50c and 75c Hand Crocheted Doilies. Sale price 2 for 25c
25c, 29c and 39c Scarfs, Squares and Doilies, size scarfs 18x34, squares 30 inches, and doilies 39 inches round; hemstitched, scalloped and trimmed with torchon lace. Sale price 2 for 25c
50c and 75c Renaissance Doilies and Japanese Drawn Squares. Sale price 25c Each

25c SALE OF CRASHES

10c Unbleached Linen Crash. Sale price 3 1-4 Yards for 25c
15c Warranted All Pure Linen Crash. Sale price 2 1-4 Yards for 25c

25c SALE OF LONG CLOTH

10c Long Cloth, 36 inches wide. Sale price 3 1-4 Yards for 25c
12 1-2c Long Cloth, 36 inches wide. Sale price 2 1-2 Yards for 25c

25c SALE OF TRAY CLOTHS

19c Mercerized Tray Cloths, best American made. Sale price 2 for 25c
39c Warranted All Pure Linen Tray Cloths, hemstitched. Sale price 25c Each

25c SALE OF TOWELS

17c Turkish Bath Towels, heavy, spongy quality. Sale price 2 for 25c
19c Huck Towels, good large size 50 per cent. linen. Sale price 2 for 25c
33c Turkish Bath Towels, extra heavy. Sale price 25c Each
25c Damask Towels, hemstitched, size 19x42, limit 4 to a customer and no telephone orders. Sale price 2 for 25c

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FREAK BILLS

The person who surveys the bulky volume that contains the acts of the legislature of 1913 and compares it with the slimmer volumes of past years will be inclined to think that legislative activity was at high water mark last year, but he is liable to change his mind on reading that over 2000 bills have been already presented to the house and senate for action during the present session. Luckily many of these were born to bluish unseens as far as their blossoming into law is concerned, but the record of last year proves that not all the freak bills die an untimely if richly deserved death in their initial stages.

Freak bills may be attributed to two dominating influences: the natural desire of young legislators to appear active to their constituents, regardless of the subject of their activity, and the growing tendency to carry all municipal and purely local annoyances to the state legislature for redress. Bills are being introduced continually which, if passed after long and tiresome debate would affect a comparatively few people, perhaps, in one city or town, while measures that are needed for the general regulation of some widespread evil are delayed or given secondary consideration.

As an example of the freak bills that have already been presented to the legislature is one to grant liquor licenses by lot, and another to compel collar manufacturers to have a certain number of humps of linen thicknesses. There is no need to discuss the former because it is on the face of it ridiculous; the other while perhaps desirable lays undue emphasis on one relatively unimportant phase of laws governing the dry goods business. If the federal laws governing buying and selling are not stringent or emphatic enough, a state law to regulate the trade should be broader in its scope than a mere matter of collars, in the buying and selling of which there can be little public hardship. There is but slight sense of proportion in a bill of this nature while such great measures as the railroad question, child labor and other matters of industrial and economic importance call for redress.

As an example of the carrying of a local matter to the legislature is a bill presented in the senate for the purpose of permitting a fireman of Lawrence to be elected to, or rather reinstated in, the permanent fire force of that city. He was formerly a member but having been granted a leave of absence some years ago was prevented from getting back his rating by a rule of the civil service commission. It may be that there is no other way by which he could get back on the fire force, but if so there is something wrong with a system that would necessitate the taking of such a relatively unimportant matter to the state legislature. Were this thing of every little municipal or private difficulty to be encouraged, the time would come when people would expect domestic quarrels and neighborhood rows to be ironed out in the state house instead of in the police court.

The basic trouble in most instances is, of course, in the type of legislator chosen by communities to represent them in the state government. Political promises are the order of the day, and too often the man who promises most gets most votes, irrespective of whether his promises are practical or impossible of fulfillment. The election so gained frequently results in a hurler of government, for the sensational seeker of office will strive to hold it by sensational means. One of these is the advocating of bills which will make him popular with a certain section of his personal following while alienating the laughter of the rest of the state. Freak bills would be a good joke if the subject were not too serious for joking.

INSPECTION OF TENEMENTS

At the regular meeting of the Lawrence city council a day or so ago it was decided to put into operation a new municipal regulation which provides for the inspection of tenements in that city under the indirect supervision of the municipal authorities. With a view towards raising the standard of living and sanitation in some sections, city employees in uniform will start on a systematic examination of the tenement property of the city. Tenements which do not come up to the proper standard will be reported and such action will be taken as will result in greater civic sanitation with its beneficial effects on the community collectively and individually.

The great advantage of this system is that it subjects the tenements to systematic and scientific examination without leaving it to haphazard. Here our board of health may and does make such an examination but it is quite possible that a flagrant example of uncleanness or unsanitary conditions would exist for months without being brought to the attention of the proper authorities. There is much to be regretted in the condition of congested districts in all cities and though some of it is not due to those who live in the tenements or who own them, it is also true that no matter

how great the squalor or suffering there is much that cannot be excused and that could be easily remedied were the slightest regard shown for sanitation and cleanliness.

Were some system of municipal supervision exercised in all our larger cities, the standard of living in tenement property could undoubtedly be raised, and the result would be beneficial to those who may resent the civic intrusion at first as well as by the city as a whole. Lawrence is going about a troublesome duty in a very practical way. There are laws enough to get results and the chief thing is to get some system of supervision by which these laws may be applied advantageously.

GOVERNOR GOETHALS

It would be a reflection on the justice of public opinion in this country before the world were there any opposition to the selection of Colonel Goethals for governor of Panama, according to official rumors that have not been denied. Of his ability for the position there can be no question for he has given a practical demonstration of ability such as but few possess; this ability was shown as much by his administration of external matters in the republic as by the genius he displayed in the supervision of the canal building. He has been in that country long enough to understand its needs and he is better qualified to apply himself to their solution than one who is unfamiliar with the peculiar situation there. If the position is to be conferred as an honor there is no one more worthy of that honor than the man whose ability and persevering activity carried the greatest engineering achievement of modern times to a successful conclusion. Even if he is not governor of Panama posterity will remember him rather as the builder of the Panama canal.

ESCAPING PRISONERS

Despite the fact that our jails are becoming more and more transformed into apartment houses with modern sanitary privileges, prisoners are as anxious as ever to get out of the gilded cage. The papers recently reported two sensational escapes, one a break from jail in McAlester, Okla., in which three prisoners escaped, shooting wildly as they went and killing seven persons; and the other, a break out of a jail van in Boston. It must be depressing to prison reformers to see that no matter how inviting they make an enforced stay in the government institutions, there are prisoners who do not appreciate a life of ease and comparative luxury. In the application of principles of humanity and mercy it is not well that vigilance should be relaxed.

Rep. Nichols has a bill in the legislature to prevent the publication of "pictures of candidates more than a year old." We presume the age of the pictures is here referred to and if so it may be remarked that few of the candidates are willing to pay for new pictures and the newspapers do not think it worth while.

Mr. Nichols is going to resign. Mr. Nichols is not going to resign. Nothing but revolution ahead for Mexico. The president is valiantly waiting. You pay your money and take your choice of Mexican news.

Would the two employees of the D. & H. who held up the entire road until they were reinstated change places with the president and vice-president of the road?

The average young man who wishes to form an ideal for imitation and guidance could not do better than pattern himself on his mother's idea of him.

Two men surrender in Boston on the charge of election fraud. More arrests to follow. What does "election fraud" mean?

Why not start a Holy Name society as a means of getting all the men to attend church?

WORMS IN CHILDREN

Worms are a danger to the health of a child. Make sure that such is not the case with your child.

Signs of worms in children are: Irrigated stomach, swollen abdomen, lip, sore, stomach, offensive breath, hard and full belly with occasional gripings and pains about the navel, pale face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

If at all doubtful, make certain of health by using Dr. True's Elixir, the Family Laxative and Worm Expeller. It is the best thing for regulating the stomach and bowels and expelling worms. At your druggist's, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. Advice free. Special treatment for tapeworms. Send for book.

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MISS EDITH WINCHESTER
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Seen and Heard

Even the man who wears a long, full beard has to keep water of his wrist-bands to see when it is time to change.

When Dr. Watts wrote: "Bless in their little nests today," he was saying right away that he was not an observant ornithologist.

The singular of "goose" being "geese" what is the singular of "Portuguese"?

Why has it never occurred to any of the slapstick comedians on the stage to use a couple of daughters to make a pair of spectacles?

The man who is always frank runs a risk of making an enemy every time he speaks.

Why drink expensive coffee, when you can buy real blackberry for twelve or thirteen cents a pound.

Even the man who can't make both ends meet may be successful in constructing sandwiches, making both ends meet.

This idea of equipping ocean liners with moving pictures for the entertainment of passengers may be good, but surely passengers who are inclined to seasickness aren't looking for any more motion on ocean liners.

If some of the jokes in life were as long as they are broad, two of them would fill the paper.

A man really ought to have a good disposition, when everybody always lets him have his own way in everything.

Speaking of timepieces, the silvery chains that the poets tell about, and the strident whirr of the alarm clock are the two extremes.

A man may admire a sensible girl, and still fall in love with one who is merely pretty.

How many of the things you thought a year ago you couldn't do without do you think you can do without today?

Patience is great virtue, and all the more noticeable because it is so rare.

The conductor of the orchestra gets higher pay than any of his men, and yet he never plays a note.

The girl who chews gum is public doesn't care how she looks.

It is highly improper for a girl to steal, and her tongue at you when she isn't pleased, which may be one of the reasons why every now and then you come across a girl who likes to do it.

Have charity for all, including the amateur singers who appear in public entertainments given in aid of charity.

Any man who has brought up a family of seven children to the age where they are self-supporting deserves to be

NO OFF-YEAR FOR APPLES

Down in Somerset county, Me., there is an apple orchard of about 1500 trees that has the reputation of being one of the best in the state. The owner says that the profits that he derives from it make the orchard as good as a government bond.

About 750 of the trees are of the Ben Davis variety and are in the neighborhood of 10 years old. The other trees are 15 to 30 years old. All of the trees are in good bearing condition, and although there may be years when the crop is small, he realizes good profits even then. The owner has learned that if an orchard is well cared for it will always do well, even if the year is a poor one.

During the season just passed the orchard produced a good yield and brought a high price on account of the fruit being of extra good quality and free from worms. The apples were marketed direct.

The owner has come to the conclusion that potatoes make one of the best crops for the orchard, because there is more cultivation to be done throughout the year in potatoes and the culture usually used to kill potato bugs has a tendency to kill other insects that are injurious to apple trees. Moreover the amount of fertilizer used in planting potatoes is of great benefit to the trees. This year there were 12 acres of potatoes in the orchard and there was a harvest of 275 bushels per acre. A ton of fertilizer was used per acre. One of the advantages to the potato crop in planting in the orchard is that the trees shade the vines and retard the growth somewhat, but the benefits to the orchard by this crop more than offset the extra bushel of potatoes that would otherwise be harvested.

The trees are set so that they run in rows each way. The next crop in the orchard will be buckwheat. The year following it will be planted for potatoes. This is the system of rotation and the profits that he derives from the crop alone make it worth while, to say nothing about the benefits to the orchard.

The orchard that is now 10 years old yielded 1000 barrels of fruit this year. This farmer has no off-year in apples.

MANY STATES BACKWARD

More than 150,000 children will be concerned in the outcome of the legislative campaign to be conducted this year by the national child labor committee, according to Owen R. Lovejoy, its general secretary. He says also that all but two of the 12 states whose legislatures will meet in 1914 are far below standard in their child labor laws. Not one of the 12 has the eight-hour day for all workers under 16 years of age, and three of them—Georgia, Maryland and Virginia—allow children under 15 to work at night.

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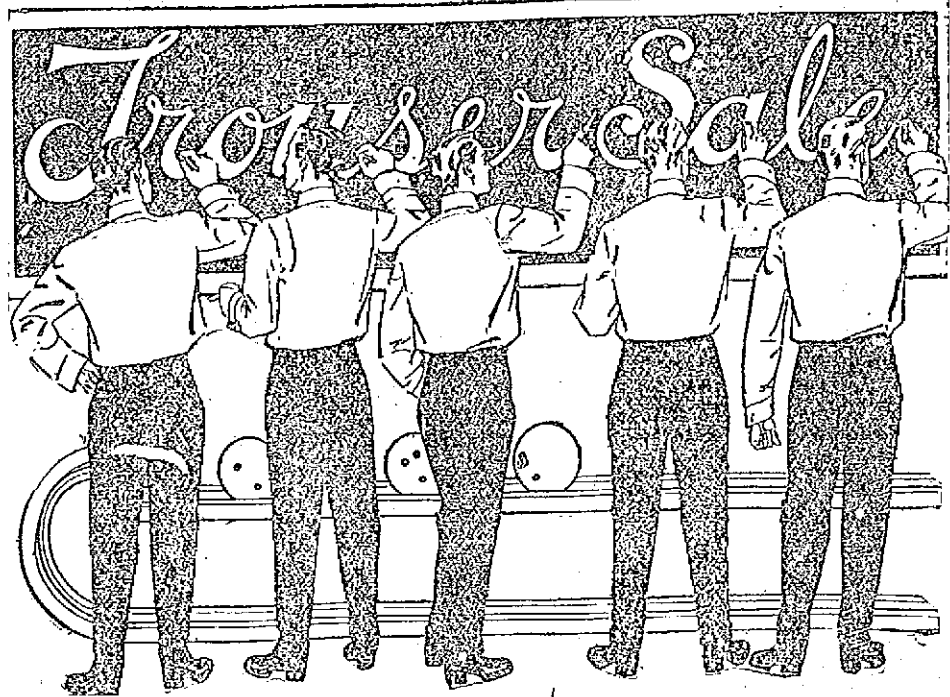
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to work; Rhode Island is content if they can read and write and Kentucky if they can read and write, and have had some instruction in elementary subjects.

There is no inspection for child labor in Georgia nor in Louisiana outside of New Orleans. In Mississippi inspection is in the hands of local sheriffs and health officers. In all three of these states a state bureau of factory inspection is urgently needed. Mr. Lovejoy says, and will be included in the campaign program of the national child labor committee for the coming year.

ELECTED DIRECTORS
At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Old Lowell National bank which was held yesterday afternoon the following directors were chosen for the ensuing year: Arthur D. Woodworth, Percy Parker, Peter H. Donohoe, Charles M. Williams, William G. Ward, Lucius E. Paulist, James J. Kerwin, John L. Robertson, James M. Abbott.

Carroll L. Plagge of this city, a former leader of the I. W. W., who was serving a three-months' sentence at the house of correction in Salem after being convicted of rioting by the Essex county court of the Essex county, completed his sentence Monday afternoon and immediately upon his release boarded a train for Boston.

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CALL SULZER AS WITNESS STATEMENT FROM MAYOR

Former New York Governor the Chief Witness at Resumption of the John Doe Inquiry Relative to Municipal Council's Appeal to the Legislature—Says Many Do Not Understand It

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—William Sulzer, former governor, now an assemblyman, was the chief witness cited to appear this forenoon at the resumption here of the so-called John Doe inquiry into political graft, especially as concerns state road construction. During the period before and after his removal as governor, Sulzer made many charges against his enemies but he did not take the stand at the impeachment proceedings and his appearance today was the first under oath. It was understood that Dist. Atty. Whitman would insist that the witness sign a waiver of immunity.

The district attorney did not announce prior to the resumption of the inquiry over just what ground he would take the witness. It was

thought, however, he would question Sulzer about all matters in which his name has been mentioned since the graft inquiry began. George H. McGuire of Syracuse, at the beginning of the investigation, said he gave Sulzer \$500 in cash as a campaign contribution in a hotel in Syracuse on the day of Sulzer's nomination. McGuire asserted also that Sulzer asked him for an additional contribution of \$3000, that \$500 of this went to Sulzer directly to aid him in his direct primary fight and that \$2500 was sent to him through the agency of John A. Hennessy, the ex-governor's graft investigator. A part of the \$2500, McGuire swore, was contributed by an agent of the Harbor Asphalt company, which McGuire represented. Other questions, it was said, would be asked about Sulzer's relations with Charles F. Murphy, James E. Gaffney and Senator O'Gorman.

Believing that a great many citizens are not familiar with or are laboring under a misapprehension relative to the municipal council's appeal to the legislature for relief, Mayor Dennis J. Murphy, today, issued the following statement:

There seems to be a misapprehension on the part of a great many citizens concerning the purpose of going to the legislature for relief on the part of the city on its outstanding temporary loan of 1912.

The purpose of the government in petitioning the legislature is not that it shall receive money outside the limit of indebtedness, for the purpose of appropriations. The present bill that has been presented to the legislature does not contemplate the borrowing of any money for the purpose of appropriations under the law at present. It is legally impossible for the city of Lowell to renew its outstanding temporary loan notes, and if there is no way of renewing them, there can be but one expedient, and that expedient lies in legislative enactment. The bill that has already been presented seeks permission not to borrow the sum of \$500,000 for the purpose of appropriations, but seeks the privilege of renewing outstanding notes until such time as the taxes outstanding against such loans shall have been collected.

There has been a long established custom in our city of permitting taxes to remain unpaid for a period of 20 months. There cannot be, at this time, a revolution of things ordering the immediate collection of such taxes. But the most expert authorities on municipal finance have advised, and recommend that the city of Lowell should

go to the legislature and receive the relief that it has asked.

I think it wise and proper to make this statement in view of what seems to me to be a misconception on the part of a great many citizens as to the purpose of the present legislative petition and bill. At the present time there is fully \$500,000 of uncollected taxes for the years 1912 and 1913. Approximately the same amount of money that has always been due at this particular period of the year, and since the legislature passed a law in 1912, prohibiting the payment of this loan in any other way than from the taxes of 1912 and 1913, and since it is neither convenient nor practicable to avail ourselves of these taxes without creating a hardship upon many people, I believe it to be the only expedient wherein we can preserve the city's credit, and at the same time ease the affairs of the government without embarrassment or inconvenience. This relief that will be granted unquestionably by the legislature, will not cause one dollar more of added expenditure on the part of the city than if these notes now outstanding could continue to run, but the law says that they cannot run, and that they cannot be renewed; and since that is the fact, there is nothing for the city to do at present but to request the legislature to give legislative sanction, by legislative act to renew these notes.

The principal sum for which these notes were issued is not to be obtained from the tax levy, for it is provided in the bill that the money shall be obtained from the uncollected taxes now outstanding for the years 1912 and 1913. We have provided in the bill for the borrowing of \$100,000 and no part of that principal sum will be taken out of the tax levy except, perhaps, a portion of the abatements for the years 1912 and 1913.

BIG SNOW STORM

Old Time Storm Visited This City Last Night—Traffic Blocked

A real old fashioned snow storm visited this city during the night and this morning people were astonished to find over a foot of snow on the ground. This storm will be a great help to the many unemployed in Lowell, who early this morning were put to work by Commissioner Morse of the streets and highways department in clearing the streets and crossings.

The storm started late yesterday afternoon with a light snow and mild temperature. In the early evening the velocity of the wind increased some, but fortunately the thermometer registered several degrees above zero. The snow fell constantly during the night and at one o'clock the officials of the Bay State Street railway deemed it advisable to put extra men to work and accordingly several of the employees were summoned to the cars in Middlesex street and 15 snow plows were put to work. The big snow plows were kept in motion all night and the company found it a very difficult task to keep its tracks clear. All lines were running late this forenoon, however, and it was not until noon that the regular running time was resumed.

Street Commissioner Morse was on the job bright and early this morning and while many were still enjoying a good nap several hundred workmen had been put to work in cutting the snow from the thoroughfares to the rivers and commons. All sleighs available in the department were pressed into service, but the snow kept falling heavily and the work of the department was in many places useless. Many mill operatives who live on the outskirts of the city found it very difficult to get to their work on time this morning, especially those who relied on the electric car service. Others who attempted to come to the city in sleighs or automobiles were snow-bound, while still others living near their work found much difficulty in reaching their destinations on foot.

A large car of the touring specimen was stalled in Central street and it required the combined efforts of several men to get it going. Those who really enjoyed the storm were the school children, who were up bright and early, hoping the no-school signal would be expanded and what they wished for, came for at the usual hour the signal was given. Many of them were seen later in the forenoon, armed with shovels and looking for jobs to clear the sidewalks of residences and business places of the thick snow, while others who made fruitless attempts to enjoy coasting, took to snowballing.

Train Service Affected
The train service was slightly affected by the storm but all of the trains went through Lowell running time with the exception of one western train. About seventy-five men were employed in the yards of the B. & M. clearing away the snow and the foreman stated that he would employ several more if he could find men willing to work.

The Postoffice
The western mail which is scheduled to arrive at the local postoffice about 7:15 a. m. was over an hour late this forenoon on account of the heavy storm. All the other morning mails were on good time although it is expected that the late afternoon trains will be more affected. No extra letter carriers were put on today and the regular force not along exceptionally well considering the condition of the sidewalks and streets.

SAILED 25 DAYS AGO
NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Although 25 days have elapsed since the 4600 ton Italian steamer Oceano sailed from Lisbon for New York on Dec. 16 with a cargo of cork she has not been posted as missing, because her owners do not

believe that any accident of a serious nature has happened to her.

It was stated today that the Oceano was a slow freighter, which might average eight knots under very favorable conditions and in a westerly gale and heavy sea her captain would probably have her to and drift until the weather moderated.

The Oceano was built at Glasgow in 1910 and carries a crew of 10.

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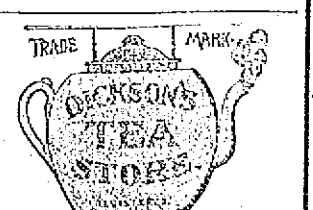


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4 PERSONS KILLED

Explosion Wrecks Huge Building in Ottawa—Cattle Perished

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 21.—Four persons are known to have been killed and several injured in an explosion which early today wrecked flower pavilion, a huge cement and steel structure at the exhibition grounds, where Ottawa's winter fair is being held. In the confusion that followed the explosion it was impossible at first to accurately ascertain the number killed and injured, but it is feared that some may have been buried in the debris. Many horses and cattle perished. The building caught fire after the explosion in the heating plant, but firemen were able to check the flames.

THE SIEGEL CASE

Special Master of the Federal Court Begins Hearing Today

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Judge Geo. C. Holt, who was made a special master by the federal court for an examination of the estate, assets and property of Henry Siegel and his partner, Frank E. Vogel in the private bank of Henry Siegel & Co., began the hearing today. Henry Melville, receiver of the Siegel bank has employed John P. Murray and Joseph M. Prosser to represent him in the examination of Siegel and Vogel. Many other lawyers, representing various interests were also in attendance.

IRISH NATIONAL FORESTERS

Contributed to the Fund for O'Donovan Rossa at the Last Meeting—Routine Business Transacted

At a largely attended meeting of the O'Neill Crowley branch, No. 395, Irish National Foresters, held in Leather Workers' hall, Central street, on Sunday last, the sum of \$25 was donated towards the fund now being raised throughout the country for the veteran Irish patriot and Fenian leader, J. O'Donovan Rossa.

Several applications for admission to membership were read and accepted. From figures at hand, it would seem that the members of this branch are not satisfied with coming out victors in the banner contest, open to all branches, which they won with a comfortable margin, as recently announced in these columns. It was also reported that the recently organized fire and dray corps was making splendid headway under capable instructors, holding two regular practices weekly at the band room, 254 Central street.

After transacting some further routine business a social hour was enjoyed, to which several members ably contributed.

ELECTED OFFICERS

Branch Pawtucketville, A. C. F. Met Last Night—Pierre Leblanc Re-elected President

A largely attended meeting of Branch Pawtucketville, A. C. F. was held last night at the rooms of the Pawtucketville Social club in Moody street with President Pierre Leblanc in the chair. A list of business was transacted and the election of officers for the ensuing year took place with the following result: President, Florio

Lo Blane; first vice president, Greville Larue; second vice president, O. Chandonnet; secretary, A. N. Boulais; treasurer, George Rivard; marshal, A. J. Bolduc; auditors, Albert Lemay, Euclide Cinqmars and Arthur Genest; physician, Dr. D. S. Bellemare, and representative to grand council, W. W. Thibodeau.

The following committee of five was appointed to organize a whist and social for the benefit of the reconstruction of St. Jean Baptiste church: O. Chandonnet, Walter Alexander, W. W. Thibodeau, Albert Lemay, A. Bolduc, and Pierre Leblanc ex-officio.

At the close of the meeting the members of the Calise Nationale de Foresters met and also elected officers for the ensuing term with the following result: President, Euclide Cinqmars; vice president, W. W. Thibodeau; treasurer, George Rivard; secretary, A. N. Boulais; marshal, A. Bolduc; directors, L. G. Gelin, R. Descheneaux and Arthur Genest.

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET

A Well Known Actress Tells How She Darkened Her Gray Hair and Promoted Its Growth With a Simple Home Made Mixture.

Miss Blanche Rose, a well-known actress, who darkened her gray hair with a simple preparation which she mixed at home, in a recent interview at Chicago, Ill., made the following statement: "Any lady or gentleman can darken their gray hair and make it soft and glossy with this simple recipe, which they can mix at home. To a half-pint of water add 1 oz. of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 4 oz. of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the required shade. This will make a gray haired person look 20 years younger. It is also fine to promote the growth of hair, relieves itching and scalp humors and is excellent for dandruff and falling hair."

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50 Dozen \$1.50 Tailored Waists, the same you bought last week **49c**

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DROPPED DEAD BOARD OF TRADE CIGARET STUB

Mrs. Mary Blacktin Died Suddenly at Hood's Laboratory

Mrs. Mary Blacktin, of 130 Hale street, died suddenly yesterday while at work at the laboratory of the C. I. Hood Co. in Thorndike street, the cause of death being endocarditis.

The woman worked a part of the day and seemed in good health. Suddenly she dropped to the floor in an unconscious condition and before assistance could be summoned she passed away. Her body was later removed to the home, 130 Hale street. Deceased is survived by a husband, Howard, and a daughter, Mary.

Tango Girls' annual, Lincoln, Fri.

PUBLISHER GINN DEAD

Was Founder of the International School of Peace—Was 76 Years Old

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Edwin Ginn, publisher of school and college textbooks and the founder of the international school of peace, died at his home in Winchester after a lingering illness today, aged 76 years.

From the fortune he had amassed Mr. Ginn gave liberally during his life to bring about better housing conditions, to promote more harmonious relations between employers and employees and bring about world peace.

WHY DOCTORS NO LONGER CLAIM TO "CURE" PEOPLE

A few years ago it was a common thing for the family doctor to say, "I will cure you in a few days." This cheerful prophecy often gave the patient new hope and courage but it is no longer good form. Doctors still "cure" malaria and a few other troubles in which their medicines have a direct or "specific" action on the virus of the disease. In other cases they simply give supporting medicine and keep up the strength of the patient until nature effects a cure.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure chlorosis and other trouble due to thin blood because they have a specific action on the blood, building it up, purifying and enriching it. This direct action on the blood also makes them the best supporting and strengthening medicine. If you are thin and weak, breathless after slight exertion, if you have palpitation of the heart, gas on the stomach, cold hands and feet, if you are nervous and easily irritated and show other signs of weak vitality, try these strengthening pills at once and let the rich, red blood cure you. Get a box today at the nearest drug store and begin at once to build up your health. Write now to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for the free booklet, "Building Up the Blood."

Membership Contest Results in a Large Addition to List

Captains Robert F. Marden and Will Rounds of the teams organized by the board of trade to bring in new members, called in their forces yesterday to learn the decision of the referee. V 11 was found that while Team One, under Mr. Marden, had 75 names, only 49 were paid; Team Two, headed by Mr. Rounds, had 61 applications, but 40 only were paid and consequently counted.

Those names brought in by the teams, Secretary John H. Murphy brought in the names of 11 new members. This means a total of 109 new members for the board of trade with several others in prospect.

The prize for the individual obtaining the largest number of members was awarded to Will Rounds, with 27 to his credit. This was eight more than his opposing captain.

It is planned to present a complimentary dinner to the efficient committee whose labors have extended over a period of a month. The result of their earnest work was most gratifying to President Harrigan.

Dr. John T. Donohue, Rev. A. Frederick Durand, William G. Spence, Andrew McCarthy, Elias J. McQuade, Rev. C. A. Lincoln, George F. White, D. Ziegler, Robert J. Kelly, John W. Holgate, Allan Frazar, Charles E. Keyes, Alexander Robinson, George V. MacNamara, H. S. Fleming, John J. Regan, Charles L. Warren, Thos. Duckworth, Charles H. Ball, Willis E. Dodge, Isaac J. Quinn, Henry E. Underhill, Emil Banaas, Joseph K. Flynn, William A. Kelley, Dr. T. J. Halloran, R. W. Thurston, William P. Hills, John T. Day, F. A. Wilson, Frank Foye, J. Steinberg, Wallace G. Parkin, M. J. Lambert, Jr., I. J. Currier, James E. Carroll, L. H. Spaulding, Cornelius J. Hart, Clarence L. Phinney, Arthur M. Warren, Dr. William L. Rembough, Redmond Welch.

TRIED TO KILL ROOSEVELT

NEW YORK PROPERTY OF JOHN SCHRAUNK, WHO ATTEMPTED TO KILL FORMER PRESIDENT, SOLD

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—John Schraunk ceased to be a property holder in this city yesterday when his five-story tenement house in East 54th street was sold at foreclosure. It was Schraunk who tried to kill Col. Roosevelt in October, 1912, in Milwaukee. The action disclosed that Schraunk was known as a name from an aunt and uncle with whom he lived for 12 years after his arrival from Bavaria, about 20 years ago.

Caused Fire in Coffee House on Jefferson St.—Damage Slight

A fire in a coffee house at 50 Jefferson street, said to have been caused by a carelessly thrown lighted cigarette or cigar stub, was responsible for an alarm from box 125 about 2:30 o'clock this morning. When the firemen arrived on the spot a small part of the floor was blazing furiously and it was necessary to tear up several boards to put out the fire. The building is owned by Peter Savage. The fire apparatus had their first experience in trying some of the new machines in a real snow storm.

Tango Girls, Miner's, Lincoln, Fri.

RESCUED 300 AT SEA

CAPE HOAZ, WHO HAD EVENTFUL CAREER AS STEAMSHIP COMMANDER, DIED YESTERDAY

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Captain Richard Hoaz, who retired a year ago after a long and eventful career as a steamship commander, died yesterday at his home in Brooklyn at the age of 71 years.

Possibly the most notable of several heroic deeds in which Captain Hoaz figured was his rescue of 200 passengers and the crews of the Merida and the Admiral Farragut when those steamships came in collision May 12, 1912.

STOP CATARRH!

Often properly treated this disease often leads to a serious, if not fatal, ailment. It is needless to allow catarrh to ruin your health—use Hyomei—it is certainly effective relief for catarrh. It's the direct-to-the-spot treatment. You breathe it—no stomach dosing. No household should be without Hyomei. It not only gives quick and lasting benefit in cases of catarrh but is one of the surest and most pleasant treatments for head colds, sniffles, or croup of children.

Hyomei is a combination of antiseptic oils—you breathe it—using a small inhaler. The air laden with health-restoring Hyomei soothes, heals and vitalizes the sore, raw and inflamed membrane of the breathing organs almost immediately. There is no other remedy that benefits so surely or so quickly.

Do not be without Hyomei another day. Druggists everywhere sell it. Get the complete outfit—\$1.00, also—this contains the inhaler and bottle of liquid.

TO LOCATE IN LOWELL

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TO HAVE OFFICES IN THIS CITY
—WILL OPEN SOON

It was stated this morning that the second floor of the building at the corner of Appleton and Central streets, formerly occupied by the Builders' Exchange, had been leased by the Fiske Rubber Tire company of 811 Boylston street, Boston, and in the near future will be used as a salesroom. The Fiske company manufactures both bicycle and automobile tires at the Boston plant and it is understood that they have been attempting to secure quarters in this city for some time.

FOX HUNTERS BANQUET

Successful Affair Held at Bedford Last Evening—Large Fox Shot Yesterday

The New England Fox Hunters club, composed of hunters from all over the six states held its annual meeting and banquet in the Bedford town hall last evening. The event was one of the most successful in the history of the organization and men were present from all of the cities and towns within a radius of 100 miles. All day yesterday was spent in hunting and John W. Jackson of Belchertown had the distinction of shooting one of the largest foxes ever secured in the town. Several of the club members chased a fox for over three hours and finally killed it near the Billerica and Burlington line. Over thirty men took part in the day's hunt and they also had over a dozen dogs.

EX-SEN. CULLOM NEAR DEATH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Although the condition of Shelby Cullom showed slight improvement this morning no hope is held out for his recovery and according to the attending physicians the end may come at any time.

DEATHS

CAMPBELL—The many friends of Mrs. Mary Campbell will be pained to hear of her death which occurred yesterday at her residence, 12 Brown street. She was a member of the Holy Conception church and leaves three sisters, Alice and Anne Jackson and Mrs. Margaret Kelly, also several nieces and nephews.

DICHARME—Mrs. Delphis Ducharme, nee Delphine Forget, aged 71 years, 8 months and 17 days, died today at her home, 14 Willie avenue. She is survived by a husband, five daughters, Mesdames Arthur Gault and Leon Arnold, both of Montreal, Que., Mrs. Alfred Gelineau, Mrs. George Bourgeois and Mrs. Bernadette Ducharme, all of this city; three sons, Desire, Chrysostome and Rodolphe; a brother, Alexis, in Canada. She was a member of St. Anne's society of St. Joseph's church.

SCHIMMERHORN—Fred Schimmerhorn, aged 58, died at a well known residence in this city after a short illness. He was an attendant of St. Michael's church and was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons, Funeral notice later.

RILEY—Died, Jan. 19th, at the home of his son, Edward, in Pasadena, Cal., Peter E. Riley, aged 70 years. He was a well known resident of this city. He leaves four sons, Frank, Peter, Edward and John, the latter of Pasadena. He was the father of the late Mrs. Mary Louise O'Toole of Nashua, N. H. The body will be brought to this city for burial by Undertakers J. P. O'Donnell & Sons, Funeral notice later.

FUNERAL NOTICES

MARTIN—The funeral of Mrs. Louise Martin will take place at 9 o'clock Thursday morning at her late home, 253 Concord street. A high mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 9:45 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Savage.

BLACKITT—The funeral of Mrs. May Blackitt, wife of Howard Blackitt, will take place Thursday morning at 1:15 o'clock from her late home, 120 Thornehill street. At St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock a funeral mass will be celebrated. Undertaker John J. O'Connell in charge.

RILEY—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Riley will take place tomorrow morning from her late home, 761 Broadway at 1:15. High mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Interment in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker P. H. Savage in charge.

MAN NEARLY MURDERED

Continued

amputation. After the examination the physician said that there was still evidence that the complainant had suffered an injury but that neither his arm nor leg was useless or greatly injured at present.

The complainant testified that the defendant hit him over the head with the leg of a table just outside of Parker's hobby shop on Lawrence street on Dec. 19th. The blow came as the climax of a lengthy argument. Witness said he was taken to St. John's hospital where he later was stricken with an epileptic fit. He said that he had never had such an attack before.

The defendant took the stand and testified that the actions of the complainant had made life unbearable for him and the blow came as the result of insults which had been heaped upon him by the complainant. Judge Burleigh found the defendant guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of \$75.

Thomas McAffrey had no money and no job and did not know what he was going to do. He was picked up as one of three suspicious characters who were called before Judge Burleigh this morning. The court sent him to jail for three months on the charge of vagrancy.

Mary O'Malley, alias Agnes Diamond, was charged with the larceny of \$125 from John Dark, and pleaded not guilty. Her case was continued until next Saturday.

Frank M. Donahue was sent to the house of correction for a term of four months on the charge of not supporting his wife.

Henry Greenhalge was charged with the unlawful sale of a half pint of liquor. Greenhalge works for C. F. Cunningham on Fayette street. The police claim that the defendant sold a half pint bottle of whiskey contrary to law. The case was continued until next Tuesday.

Molte Grenier was charged with neglecting his wife. The woman testified that her husband abused her when he got drunk. The defendant was given a suspended sentence to the house of correction on condition that he pay his wife \$4 per week.

CITY SOLICITOR

Continued

Murphy, Commissioner Carmichael and City Solicitor Hennessy. Mayor Murphy called to order at 11:25 with all members present. The mayor read the application of Thomas J. Noveas, former president of the Greek community, as constable and Commissioner Carmichael moved that the matter be laid on the table on the ground that there are enough constables at the present time.

Com. Morse inquired how many Greek constables and the mayor replied that there were at least two that he knew of.

The claim of Elizabeth N. Gannon for personal injury was referred to the committee on claims.

For Pole Locations

A petition by the N. E. T. & T. Co. for pole locations in Leroy street, a petition coming over from 1913, was read by the mayor.

It was stated that a Mrs. Avery objected to the pole which is a terminal pole. The petition was granted. There was another old pole location petition up for action. It had to do with a pole location in Edison street and all former discussion concerning it was explained in detail by Com. Donnelly, who favored the moving of the pole for a distance of about two feet southerly.

Com. Morse said that according to the rules of the park department the pole couldn't be moved in the direction indicated by Mr. Donnelly because it would bring it too close to trees.

James P. Owens, appearing some time ago for Mr. Davis, argued against the removal of the pole southerly for two feet and on suggestion of Mayor Murphy, the matter was referred back to Commissioners Donnelly and Morse.

The annual reports of the park commission and sewer of weights and measures were received and placed on file.

Commissioner Brown's Motion

The following motion offered by Commissioner Brown was seconded by Com. Carmichael:

"That the city solicitor be and he hereby is authorized and instructed to make an investigation in order to determine the rights and privileges that the city of Lowell has in the control of the waters of the Merrimack river, as well as any rights it may have in land bordering on the banks of the Merrimack river; and whether or not the city has any rights in land that has been filled in by the Proprietors of Locks and Canals on Merrimack river; and to discover whether the city has any redress for any invasion of its rights it may have in said river; and to determine whether the said Proprietors of Locks and Canals on Merrimack river have exceeded any rights granted it by the legislature, and to determine also whether said Proprietors of Locks and Canals on Merrimack river have filed in the banks of the said river any dam or barrier for the purpose of profit and gain; or for the purpose of establishing the free flow of the said river; and to render whatever other information that may be necessary for maintaining the rights and remedies to which the city may be entitled."

The motion was adopted. Com. Carmichael suggested it would be well for the chief of the fire department to inspect all places where gasoline is stored. "The chief ought to know where it is and how it is protected," said Mr. Carmichael.

"The men of the fire department," he continued, "should familiarize themselves with premises where gasoline is stored."

Former Commissioner Cummings was at the reporters' table and, upon request of the mayor, explained how he handled the gasoline question last year. He thought Com. Carmichael's suggestion a good one.

Collection of Taxes

Commissioner Brown asked for information concerning the effort to borrow \$500,000 on the temporary loan and City Solicitor Hennessy said that the temporary loan remains the same except that there is greater legal protection for the city, a legal method by which we can take care of the loan.

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Commissioner Carmichael moved that the matter be referred to Mayor Murphy and City Solicitor Hennessy. The mayor added Mr. Carmichael's name and the matter was referred to the three, the mayor, city solicitor and Mr. Carmichael.

Before the meeting adjourned Commissioner Brown requested the mayor and commissioners to get their estimates in shape and send them to the auditor's office as quickly as possible. Adjourned at 12:15 to Tuesday at 11 a. m.

LOWELL - BOY KIDNAPPED

Continued

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There is quite an interesting story connected with this boy, whose arm is in his teens. The little chap left home on several occasions and the father was kept worrying for months at a time. Then the little fellow would return and of course he was rewarded with open arms.

On June 1, 1912, he left home and all efforts to locate him were fruitless. Some time in October of the same year, the father received word that his son had been injured on a railroad in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He went to the latter place and there found his boy in a hospital with the left arm and three toes of the left foot amputated.

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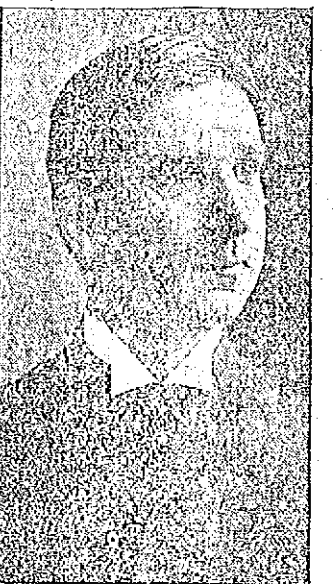
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During the early part of the evening the members entertained their wives and lady friends by showing them over the splendidly appointed club house and informal reception were held. The orchestra played at intervals. At 7 p. m. all present fell into line and marched to the banquet hall to the stirring strains of a martial air. When all were seated, Faithful Navigator Walter H. Hickey, called to order and after cordially welcoming these present introduced William F. Sullivan of Nashua, N. H., a past grand knight of Lowell, as toastmaster. He responded by complimenting the local Knights of Columbus on the great strides they have made during the past few years, especially in getting headquarters of their own.

The first speaker to be introduced was Sir Knight Rev. Francis J. Mullin, chaplain of the fourth degree, who responded to the toast, "The Church." He commented on the appropriateness of having the subject spoken of at all meetings of Catholic societies because the church is the mother of all patriotism. "All legitimate authority," he said, "comes from God and it is through the church that God makes

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"I am deeply interested in the school and the home, as I believe all who are interested in the welfare and good of our state and country should be. It is the home and the school that bring to the surface the best and truest representatives of our community."

"We all want our country to prosper and in our efforts to have it advance we look about us for those who are some people tell us that the school is the foundation of our republic. Such is not the case. I have read history, the history of many nations and I like many another, have traced the cause of the downfall of some of the greatest nations of the world. When the women of a country or a community look to the school for the training of their children, they are looking to the school for the training of the future of their country."

Following Mr. Mullin's speech, Andrew A. McCarthy sang and was received warmly. Sir Knight George C. Shields of Mansfield then responded to the toast "The Fourth Degree" and talked entertainingly on matters of special interest to the members present.

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Kidnapped Boy Found

CITY SOLICITOR WILL INVESTIGATE

City's Rights and Privileges in the
Merrimack River and Land
Along the River's Banks

At a meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon Commissioner George H. Brown presented a motion that the city solicitor be instructed to make an investigation for the purpose of determining the city's rights and privileges in the control of the waters of the Merrimack river, including land filed in by the Locks and Canals. The motion was adopted. There was counsel present at the meeting in the interest of a petition of the Boston & Maine R. R. and the Merrimack Mfg. Co., for the discontinuance of tracks in Tilden street and the waters of the Merrimack river, and the matter was referred to Mayor.

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MAN NEARLY MURDERED

Struck on Head With Leg of a
Table—Was Almost Paralyzed
Afterwards

Albino Pecanco pleaded not guilty, through his attorney, Lawyer J. Joseph O'Connor, to assault and battery upon Manuel J. Espinola. Lawyer Daniel J. Donahue appeared for the prosecution.

One of the doctors from St. John's hospital testified that the complainant came to the hospital with his head split open and several abrasions about the face. He was in the hospital 13

days. The physician further stated that the complainant had a partial paralysis of his left leg and left arm but that both were cured before he left the hospital. Lawyer Donahue examined the witness at some length and finally had complainant and doctor retire while the latter made another examination.

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FIND SUBMARINE

The "A 7" Which Dis-
appeared in Plymouth
Sound Located Today

PLYMOUTH, England, Jan. 21.—The British submarine, "A 7," which disappeared on Friday last during maneuvers in Plymouth sound, was located today on the bottom at a depth of 209 feet.

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HE DISAPPEARED OVER YEAR AGO

Mysterious Case in Which Some Rail-
road Man is Suspected of Luring the
Boy From Lowell to the West When
Damage Suits Were Pending—Is Dy-
ing in Ohio Hospital

Alexandre Paquette, the 17-year-old
boy of Mr. Isander Paquette of 302
West Sixth street, this city, whose
mysterious disappearance on Nov. 13,
1912, baffled some of the best known
detectives of the country, has finally
been located in a hospital at Thomp-
son, Ohio, where he lies in a critical

condition, suffering from tuberculosis.
The boy's whereabouts since his de-
parture from Lowell over a year ago
is not known, but the father expects to
solve the mystery very soon, for in a
few days he will leave for the Ohio
city, where he expects to learn the
story connected with the boy's sudden

disappearance.
It is believed the boy was kidnapped
by employees of a railroad company or
induced to keep out of the way for
some time on account of a law suit
which was being brought against the
said company to recover for injuries
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CLEAN YOUR SIDEWALKS

If You Neglect Them
You Will Hear From
Charlie Morse

Carmichael Doesn't Be-
lieve in Sending Fire
Engines Out of Town

Commissioner Charlie Morse stated,
after coming in from a trip about
town this forenoon, that there are too
many men who neglect to clean their
sidewalks. "I am going to call the at-
tention of the superintendent of police
to this fact," said Mr. Morse, "and
I am going to see to it that the side-
walks are cleaned. The city has paid
a good many claims on account of
abutters falling or refusing to clean
their sidewalks. If a man doesn't want
to shovel the snow from his sidewalk
he ought to go where there isn't any
snow to shovel." There is not much
doubt about the costs that Charlie had
in mind. "It costs money," he contin-
ued, "to sand the streets and it is im-
possible to properly sand the streets if
the sidewalks are neglected."

Storm May Cost \$6000

In reply to a question as to the
expense of a snow storm such as we
experienced last night and today, Mr.
Morse said: "A snow storm like this is
liable to cost anywhere from \$6000 to
\$8000. A big expense attaches to the
proper care of gutters. I got caught
napping on the gutter question once
and I'll never get caught again. The
gutters constitute one of the most im-
portant items in street work and the
care of streets. I will have 175 men at
work on the streets tomorrow. I did
not try to remove much of the snow
today for it is useless to do that until
the sidewalks have been taken care of.
Tomorrow we will remove the first
snow but as this was really the first
storm of the season it will not be nec-
essary to remove all of it and if we
don't have too much trouble with the
gutters the street will probably not
cost as much as the average storm. It
all depends on the weather that will
follow, and it looks to me as if we
were going to have good weather."

Active at Meetings

Mr. Morse is inclined to take an ac-
tive part in discussions arising at
meetings of the municipal council. He
says there are questions asked him in

the street that he is not at all times
familiar with and if it is anything he
wants to know all about he brings it
in, if possible, at a meeting just for
the purpose of information. He does
not bring the question up if it is ab-
solutely foreign to the meeting, but he
waits the opportune time and then in-
serts it. His colleagues are always
interested.

Out of Town Fires

Asked what attitude he would favor
on the part of the city relative to send-
ing fire apparatus out of town, Com-
missioner James H. Carmichael, said: "I
would not favor sending any apparatus
beyond the city limits. If towns
nearby feel that they should have as-
sistance from here I would favor such
towns buying what apparatus they
thought necessary and store it in this
city. In the event of the city caring
to use the apparatus the city would
be willing to pay part of the cost of
maintenance. I believe in being neigh-
borly, but self preservation is the first
law of nature. There would be no
excuse for the commissioner of the fire
department or for the chief of the
fire department if they should allow
apparatus to go out of town and if in
its absence a big fire should break out
and the department should be crippled
at home because of the absence of the
apparatus in question."

LECTURE POSTPONED

The lecture on "Shakespeare" sched-
uled to take place at the state normal
school this afternoon at 1 o'clock was
postponed until tomorrow afternoon at
the same hour.

I am the "I Will" Man



I arrive tomorrow.
You're dollars in if
you find me.

—watch this paper tomorrow.

TRIPLE MURDER AND SUICIDE

Man, Wife and Two
Daughters Found Dead
in New York Home

Note Stating That Cou-
ple Had Entered Into
Suicide Pact

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Julius Steir-
bain, an interpreter, his wife Josephine
and their two daughters, Gladys, 12
years old, and Edna, nine, were found
dead this afternoon in their home in
the Bronx. The man, carrying out a
suicide pact with his wife, had com-
mitted triple murder and then shot
himself. He left a note to this effect:

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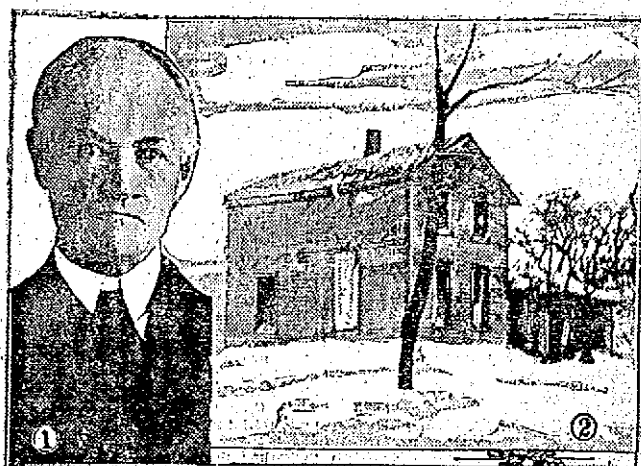
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1. OVERSEER PUTNAM. 2. 3. ARMED DEPUTIES. BEARDSLEY HOUSE.

Man Who Shot Overseer Putnam
and Defied Sheriff and Posse
for Week Surrendered

MAYVILLE, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Edward
Beardsley, the Chautauque county out-
law farmer who has for over a week
defied the efforts of Sheriff Anderson
and a posse to arrest him, gave himself
up to C. D. Backus, a local hotel man,
early today and is now locked up in
the jail here.

Backus, who was appointed a deputy
sheriff by Sheriff Anderson, effected
the "capture" alone and in keeping
with a plan agreed upon between him
and Beardsley yesterday. The out-
law was taken to the hotel where
breakfast was served. He then went
to a barber shop, after which he
walked to the sheriff's office and for-

mally gave himself into the custody
of the law. He was served with a
warrant charging him with assault in
the first degree in having shot G. W.
Putnam, overseer of the poor of Chau-
taque county with intent to kill.
Locked in his cell, no one was allowed
to see him.

Beardsley's surrender came after
eight days of open defiance of the law,
and his effective defense of "Fort
Beardsley." With his farmhouse as his
stronghold, Beardsley would not allow
any of the posse to see and talk with
him except the sheriff and he turned
his notoriety into money by the sale
of autograph postal cards, posing for
photographers and moving picture
operators.

APPOINTS REPUBLICANS

GOV. WALSH NAMES THREE G. O. P.
MEN FOR IMPORTANT OFFICES—
30TH YEAR FOR HAMLIN

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Three republicans
were appointed to important offices by
Gov. David L. Walsh today.
Edward F. Hamlin began his 30th
year as executive secretary; Dr. Henry
Walcott, formerly chairman of the
state board of health, was made chair-
man of the metropolitan water and
sewerage board; and Roger Wolcott,
son of the late Gov. Wolcott, was ap-
pointed a member of the state board
of insanity.

DEMOCRATS TAKE OFFICE

SECRETARY OF STATE, TREAS-
URER, AUDITOR AND ATTORNEY
GENERAL SWORN IN TODAY

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The successful
democratic candidates at the last elec-
tion for state offices, below lieutenant
governor were sworn in today by Gov.

ernor Walsh and the executive coun-
cil. They were Secretary of state Frank
J. Donahue of Boston, who was re-
elected; Treasurer Frederick W. Mans-
field of Boston; Auditor Frank H. Pope
of Leominster and Attorney General
Thomas J. Hoynton of Everett.

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THE SAGO-LOWELL SHOPS

Business Improving at "Big Shop"
—Bigelow Carpet Company on
Short Time

It was learned today that the local branches of the Sago-Lowell shops, the "Big Shop" and the Kilton Machine Co., are hiring more help and that the business outlook is much better than a few months ago.

It was stated at the office of the company that orders were coming in daily and that all departments are kept running full time.

For some time past the local plants have been running but 50 hours a week and it seems that it is the intention of the company to keep that up for it is believed nine hours a day for any workman is sufficient. As fast as business increases more help will be hired. The company has made considerable changes in the plant of the "Big Shop," among these being the transfer of the loom construction to out-of-town plants, and it is said that more repair work of a general nature is being taken in.

A few months ago the company installed on trial what is known as the Taylor system, which gives a record of all the operations of all workmen. In this manner the cost of constructing a piece of machinery can be obtained and that put together with the cost of material will enable the company to see just how conditions are. This system, according to officials of the local plants, is very satisfactory, but it is claimed by some of the employees that the system is very inefficient and its workings are too much in favor of the company. The new labor organization formed among the machinists employed by this concern in this city has taken up this matter at previous meetings and some say that the system is still the topic of discussion at meetings. One man said that it would result in injury just as did the clock system put into the "Big

Shop," in the days of Mr. Shaw and which helped to disorganize the entire shop and break up even the management.

Bigelow Carpet Co.

The Taylor stoker which was being installed at the local plant of the Bigelow Carpet Co., was put in operation a few days ago and those interested are much satisfied with the results thus far obtained. It is the intention of the company to equip all its boilers with new stokers in order to do away with the smoke nuisance. There are now 19 boilers in the plant, but the installation of the new stoker boiler will do away with some of the other boilers. Eventually all the old ones will be replaced by Taylor stokers.

Local Agent Talks

"It is strange to note what the mill agents are up against at times," said a local agent this morning, and then he went on and related how a prominent resident of this city called on him a couple of days ago and wanted him to write a letter, stating that he was willing to give work to a former resident of this city, who was incarcerated in the Charlestown jail awaiting trial on the charge of larceny.

"I told him I would if it was within my power, and then he went along and explained how his friend who was in Webster, was in a rather tight position, that is, without cash or food, and in order to keep the wolf away from the door, he stole an overcoat. He was arrested and taken to the Charlestown jail, where he was awaiting trial."

"I am sure," said the citizen, "if you will write a letter stating that you are willing to give my friend work, that the authorities will release him."

"I then told him I could not make my mill the refuge of a peccator, but he insisted and said it was immaterial whether the man worked here or not after his release, for all he wanted was to get his friend out of jail. He pleaded so hard that I finally gave him a few lines and what luck it brought his friend I have not yet learned. This is only a sample of what takes place almost continually in the office of a mill agent.

"There are appeals to put parties to

work because the husband is sick, because the wife is sick, because there is a large family, or because somebody met with misfortune. I wish I could help such cases, but experience has shown that when these people are put to work they either cannot work or they do not want to work."

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Being Abused by Fans and Writers—Is a Substitute for "Charlie" Murphy and the Cardinals

Many persons are looking around for an excuse to pick on the Federal League. It used to be St. Louis, Cincinnati and "Charlie" Murphy who were most favored for a third degree session at the hands of our most eminent pickers, but the Federal League has sprung up to fill an aching void, as the stuff was running a bit dry on the trio mentioned. For this the Federal league must be given thanks.

There are ways and ways of handling the matter, and the new baseball organization for being on earth, and one way that doesn't seem to be just up to snuff is to start the fires burning because its chief backers are restaurant keepers, butchers, bakers, contractors and others known in our set as trades people. What, query some of the critics, does a restaurant keeper know about baseball might become too closely identified with restaurant keeping and that the Broutherases and their like to step in now with their knowledge of the grand old game and put an experienced hand on the rudder.

Of course, a restaurant keeper doesn't know as much about baseball as he does about keeping portions of food to the smallest possible portion. If he did baseball might become too closely identified with restaurant keeping and that would be bad for the digestion. But it is our humble opinion that a restaurant man is more to be respected than a butcher, the baker and the contractor. Any man who can serve beef stew all topped out with a French sauce and charge 300 per cent interest for the logging is deserving of tremendous respect. Any man who can keep the price of a steak soaring in spite of the clamoring of some 80,000,000 persons also comes in for unlimited credit. Any man who can make a tasty pie out of old shoes and discarded summer clothing is a wizard for being able to get away with it.

No, furthermore, not. If the Federal league is to crumble it will not be because of any lack of business astuteness on the part of promoters. Men who can get away with it so nicely in other lines of endeavor should have no difficulty in baseball.

Yet the Federal league was almost disrupted in one fell stroke. And as the trouble started in Chicago, one naturally wonders whether the Federal league club in that city is to have a duplicate of C. Murphy. Which brings us right back to where we were—picking on one of the old standbys.

EX-GOV. SULZER BOXER

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 21.—If William Sulzer, former governor, could take of a few years and take on a few pounds, there would be no amateur heavyweight in the country who could outbox him, his instructor, "Al" Burdick, said yesterday.

The former governor has been taking boxing lessons ever since before his impeachment trial began, but nobody learned of it until yesterday.

The "I Will" Man



Says:
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ANNUAL MEETING

And Parish Supper at the Grace Universalist Church Last Night

The annual meeting of the Grace Universalist church was held last evening and a parish supper was served in connection with the annual meeting.

The supper was followed by impromptu post prandial exercises. Dr. G. Forrest Martin was the toastmaster. The speakers included Rev. James Bancroft, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church; Rev. C. B. Fisher of the First Universalist church; and Rev. C. R. Skinner of Grace church. The superintendent of the Sunday school, William Sherwell, spoke on Sunday school work.

Dr. G. Forrest Martin was chosen moderator of the business meeting, and Newell F. Putnam, clerk. The report of the treasurer showed the society to be in a flourishing condition. The collector's report showed a gain for the year. In addition to the new rental statement, ending Dec. 31, 1913, the report of the first few weeks of the present year show 14 additional seats rented. Thirty-three new members were also taken into the society last night.

After the reports of the various officials had been read, Dr. Martin, as chairman of the board of assessors, presented a new plan for the securing of pledges to provide for the full annual budget in advance, and to use the money secured from the various women's societies, which amounts to \$750 or \$800 a year, as a payment on the permanent debt.

MOODY BIBLE CLASS

The second annual banquet and reception of the Moody Bible class, of the Lawrence Street P. M. church, to its members and friends, was held in the church vestry last evening. After supper the following program was in order: Piano solo, Mrs. William Bell, Jr.; class history, Secretary E. M. Kimball; remarks, Rev. A. Hesford; organized classes in general, Teacher C. W. Moore; remarks, J. T. Ullom of Moody's vocal quartet; Miss Mary Green and Lillian Bell; remarks, Rev. Mr. Fowler; Bible questions by Harry Blawie, answered by any one present, in which Miss Mary McKenzie received the lady's prize and David Allen the men's.

The committee on entertainment was: Helen O. Parker, Helen Riley, Thomas W. Vennard, and on the supper, Mrs. A. Bailey, Mrs. J. E. Buchanan, Mrs. M. T. Kimball, Mrs. W. Bennett, Mrs. E. Henry.

Officers of the Moody Bible class, Harry Blawie, president; Gussie E. Catherwood, vice president; Edwin M. Kimball, secretary; John Berry, assistant secretary; Thomas W. Vennard, treasurer; Helen O. Parker, financial secretary; Charles W. Moore, teacher.

FOOTBALL RULES COMMITTEE

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—E. K. Hall, chairman of the intercollegiate football rules committee, has called a meeting of the two committees in this city for Friday evening, Feb. 6, at 8 o'clock. The members of the two committees which sit jointly for 1914 are as follows:

Intercollegiate committee—Prof. A. A. Stagg, Chicago; Captain Joseph W. Beauchamp, Cornell; Crawford, Bhagden, Harvard; Prof. E. H. Dashiell, New York; and William Morton, Pennsylvania; and Walter Camp, Yale.

National collegiate committee: Lieut. Dismont, Army; D. B. Hall, Dartmouth; Prof. Babblitt, Haverford; Prof. Savage, Oberlin; Harris Cope, Swarthmore; Dr. H. E. Williams, Minnesota.

STEAMER DISABLED

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Jan. 20.—The steamer Oscar III of the Scandinavian-American line was disabled yesterday in long 23 west; lat. 54 north, while on her way from Copenhagen to New York, according to a wireless dispatch from the captain. He says that during a heavy north-westerly gale when the sea was running high the starboard engine was rendered useless, several rods and pistons and a cylinder being broken. The captain expected to be able to proceed with the port engine at a speed of eight knots as soon as the weather moderated. The passengers on board, numbering 254, were all well.

HIGH SEA SAFETY AGREEMENT
LONDON, Jan. 21.—The task of securing greater security for ships at sea and their passengers was dealt with in a thorough manner by the International Conference on Safety at Sea, which came to an end yesterday when the delegates, sent by 14 nations, signed a convention laying down regulations for the future.

ANNUAL REPORT

Of Sealer of Weights and Measures Goes to City Council

John W. Stott, sealer of weights and measures, has submitted his annual report and it went to the municipal council today. In accordance with the recommendation of Thure Hanson, state commissioner of weights and measures, one additional employee in the department was added during the latter part of 1913. The work done by the department for the year is described in the report as follows:

Track, wagon and platform scales, over 50 pounds: Tested, 93; adjusted, 20; sealed, 74; condemned, 4.

Platform scales, under 500 pounds: Tested, 832; adjusted, 230; sealed, 170; condemned, 62.

Overhead track: Tested, 21; sealed, 39; condemned, 1.

Cotton beams: Tested, 29; sealed, 23; condemned, 4.

Computing scales: Tested, 218; sealed, 271; condemned, 47.

Shot machines: Tested, 60; sealed, 58; condemned, 2.

Spring and counter scales: Tested, 1574; sealed, 16,421; adjusted, 237; condemned, 232.

Junk scales: Tested, 200; sealed, 160; condemned, 40.

Weights: Tested, 6127; sealed, 6130; adjusted, 1134; condemned, 7.

Dry measures: Tested, 98; sealed, 81; condemned, 14.

Liquid measures: Tested, 1899; sealed, 1461; condemned, 130.

Pumps: Tested, 75; sealed, 67; adjusted, 13; condemned, 5.

Yard-measures: Tested, 358; sealed, 211; condemned, 31.

Shells and other jars: Tested, 690; sealed, 550; condemned, 40.

Packages reweighed in stores: Correct, 109; incorrect, 50.

Inspection of junk and peddlers' wagons: 359.

Coke and coal bags sealed, 140.

Ice scales: Sealed, 65; condemned, 12.

Ice cream boxes: Correct, 55; condemned, 18.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Court 53, Knights of Equity, was held last night and the feature of the evening was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Sir Knight, Thomas J. Fitzgerald; vice sir knight, Michael J. Sharkey; recording secretary, James J. Sheehan; assistant recording secretary, Michael Casey; financial secretary, Thomas J. Casey; treasurer, Leo C. McElroy; auditor, William T. Cardin; auditor, William McCann; inside guard, Edward Flannery; warden, Thomas Hession; conductor, Edward Costello; trustees, Redmond Welch, John Sullivan, John J. Pinder, Edward J. Boyle and Simon Dean.

Betsy Ross Circle

There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the members of Betsy Ross circle, which was held last night. The affair was preceded by a dainty supper, and in the course of the business meeting considerable business concerning the organization was transacted.

S. H. Hines Lodge

The members of S. H. Hines lodge, 56, K. P. met in regular session last night in their rooms and heard the reading of the semi-annual reports of the officers. The rank of esquire was worked on six pages by the staff. The rank of knight will be worked Friday evening by Wamsley lodge. The installation of officers of the S. H. Hines lodge, which will be public will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 27.

Loyal Victoria Lodge

At the close of the business meeting of Loyal Victoria lodge which was held last night in Grafton hall a musical program was given, those taking part being Sisters Clark, Smith and Ida Boughey. Sister Elizabeth Spillane was presented a gift of money by the lodge, the presentation speech being made by the noble grand. Mrs. Silversen was also remembered by being presented a gold ring for bringing in five new members.

Loirelle Aerle, Eagles

An interesting meeting of the members of the Loirelle Aerle of Eagles was held last night with Worthy President Riley in the chair. Several important questions were brought before that of the local order joining the state aerle and State Deputy McCann, who was present, spoke in favor of the movement and urged the members to join the state aerle, explaining the benefits that can be derived from such action. A committee was appointed to look into the next meeting and hold day of the state aerle at Pittsfield, the idea being to have the Loirelle aerle participate in this great event.

B. & M. TO MAKE ALLOWANCES

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Thousands of holders of reduced rate tickets on the Boston & Maine railroad, who have found the service unsatisfactory since the destruction by fire of Tower A at the North Station and who in consequence have traveled back and forth to Boston by trolley or otherwise than by train, can have their tickets extended by the railroad's passenger department.

It was stated at the North station yesterday that the passenger department will extend or redeem such tickets and treat the passengers fairly.

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BON MARCHE

BANK PRESIDENT AT 25

JOS. P. KENNEDY, HEAD OF COLUMBIA TRUST CO.—NEPHEW OF CARDINAL O'CONNELL, DIRECTOR

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Joseph P. Kennedy, 25, of East Boston, who was for two years, connected with the Massachusetts bank commissioner's office, was yesterday elected president of the \$100,000 Columbia Trust company of East Boston. He is the youngest man to hold the presidency of a banking house in the state of Massachusetts.

Since his graduation at Harvard in 1912 Kennedy has displayed the same energy that characterized his work while in the Boston Latin school and Harvard university, in both his academic and athletic career.

For several months after leaving college he worked in the counting rooms of the Columbia Trust company, later going to the bank commissioner's office. He remained there until the time of his resignation in December in anticipation of his election to the presidency of the East Boston institution.

Kennedy was born in East Boston, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Kennedy. His father was prominent in a business way aside from being a state senator at one time and subsequently vice commissioner of the city of Boston.

He attended the Central parochial school, East Boston, and later entered the Boston Latin school. During his course there he played on the baseball nine, being its captain during the last year. In his last year, 1908, he was president of his class.

He entered Harvard university immediately upon completing his course at the Latin school, and as one of his courses took up finance. He became active in athletics and was a member of the nine of 1911, which defeated Yale. In 1912 he coached the Harvard freshman nine.

Following the completion of his college course, he entered the employ of the Columbia Trust company, but was later appointed to the bank commissioner's office under Augustus L. Thorndike. His work in the commissioner's office gave him an opportunity to get an insight into the system under which banks are conducted and enabled him to secure an education which it is considered adequately qualified him for filling the position to which he was yesterday elected.

Kennedy succeeds Frank C. Wood as president, the latter having declined re-election after having served for 14 years, because of ill-health. Kennedy's father, who had for a number of years been vice-president of the company, withdrew, and Alfred B. Wellington,

who has been treasurer for a long time, was elected both vice-president and treasurer. Other changes in the officials of the company were made through the election of Joseph E. O'Connell, a nephew of Cardinal O'Connell, and Lewis K. Southard as directors.

The Columbia Trust company is capitalized for \$100,000, has deposits of \$675,000 and total assets of \$769,000.

EX-MAYOR HART IS 85

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—More than 400 people prominent in civic affairs remembered Boston's "grand old ex-mayor," Thomas S. Hart, yesterday, and showered his home on Commonwealth avenue with greetings and congratulations in honor of his 85th birthday.

ASKS SEPARATE SUPPORT
BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Claiming that her husband left her a year ago last October, after they had been married nearly ten years, Mrs. Josephine Gertrude Lovell, yesterday filed a petition for separate support against Arthur W. Lovell in the Suffolk probate court.

Mr. Lovell is a well-known Boston business man. He is a member of the firm of Blount & Lovell, 100 High street, where he has been located for 20 years. The concern are machinists and gear cutters and also makers of a machine engine which bears Mr. Lovell's name.

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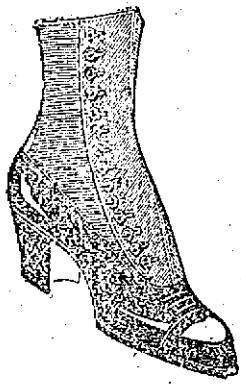
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Ladies' \$4.50 Zeigler's Patent Coll, Button, Cloth Top or Kid Top, now **\$3.69**
Ladies' \$4.00 K. & D. Patent Coll, Button, Cloth Top, now **\$3.29**
Ladies' \$3.50 Laureate and Custom, Kid Button and Lace, now **\$2.95**

Ladies' \$3.50 Grover's Hand-Sewed Button Boots, common sense and opera toes, now **\$2.79**
Ladies' \$4.00 Gun Metal Button and Lace, now **\$2.95**
Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.00 Patent Coll, Button, Cloth or Kid Top; also Gun Metal, Button, Cloth or Kid Top, high toe, now **\$2.69**
Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.00 Patent Coll and Gun Metal Button, Cloth Top, low heel, for growing girls; same in Gun Metal, now **\$2.69**
Misses' \$2.00 Educator, Button or lace, now **\$1.85**
Children's \$1.50 Educator, Button or Lace, now **\$1.35**

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Men's \$6.00 Nettleton's, Vici Kid Bals, Kid Lined; also Boyden's Newark Shoes, now **\$4.95**
Men's \$7.00 Tan Grain Bluchers, "Nettleton's," sizes 6-C and 6-D, now **\$4.95**
Men's \$6.00 Vici Kid, Kid Lined, Cork Sole Shoes, now **\$4.95**
Men's \$5.00 Young Men's Tan Russia and Gun Metal Calf, invisible eyelets, low heels, now **\$4.29**
Men's \$6.00 Genuine Tan Viking Calf Bals and Bluchers, now **\$4.95**

Men's \$4.00 Box Calf Bluchers, 2 full soles; also the famous Hustler line, now **\$3.49**
Men's \$4.00 Gun Metal Button and Bluchers, single sole, now **\$3.49**
Men's \$3.00 Tan Lotus, Calf, Button and Bluchers, now **\$2.69**
Boys' \$2.75 J. P. S. Storm Shoes, high cut, sizes 1 to 6, now **\$2.19**
Sizes 9 to 13½, now **\$1.89**

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Ladies' \$4.50 Rubber Sole, English Cut, High Shoes, Gun Metal Calf, invisible eyelets, low heel—New Spring Shoes, offered in this sale at **\$3.69**

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DEATHS

BLACKTIN—Mrs. May Blacktin died suddenly at the C. I. Hood Co. laboratory yesterday, aged 43 years. The body was taken to her home, 130 Hale street.

MORIARTY—Michael Moriarty died yesterday in Boston, aged 50 years. He is survived by two brothers, Philip of Lowell and John of Ireland, and by three sisters, Misses Kate and Bridget and Mrs. James Bourke. His body was brought to Lowell by Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

MARTIN—Mrs. Louise Guiney Martin, widow of the late John C. Martin, Jr., died yesterday at 233 Concord street. She is survived by one daughter, Ruth; two sisters, Grace and Ruth Guiney, and three brothers, Leonard, John P. and Joseph W. Guiney.

SMITH—Mrs. Bridget Hampson Smith, a well known resident of Dracut, died yesterday at the home of her sister, Miss Margaret Hampson, 2 Pleasant street, after a lingering illness. She is survived by three sons, John W., Andrew J. and Joseph F.; two daughters, Misses Jennie L. and

Julia M.; one sister, Miss Margaret G. Hampson, and one brother, Bernard Hampson.

FUNERALS

QUALEY—The funeral of Daniel F. Qualey, son of Thomas and Mary Kirby Qualey, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 377 Middlesex street. He was a bright, cheerful little fellow and his sudden death has cast a gloom not only in his home but in the neighborhood and among his schoolmates and teachers. Among the many beautiful flowers

were placed from the following: Family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCarthy, James Reagan and family, Ryne family, John and James Bradley, Officer J. J. Dooley, Little Billy Cox. Owing to the cause of death (membranous croup) the burial was private and was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

COLSON—The funeral of George F. Colson, a well known and highly respected citizen of North Billerica, took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 5 Colson street, and was largely attended. There were many beautiful flowers. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Harlow, pastor of the First Baptist church of Billerica, and Rev. Mr. Williams, pastor of the North Baptist church, of North Billerica.

The bearers were Messrs. John E. Powell, Coburn Smith, Matthew Kohlrausch, John Scott, Edgar F. Twombly and Bert Ellis. Burial was in the family lot in the corner cemetery in North Billerica, where the committal services were conducted at the grave by Mr. Harlow, assisted by Mr. Williams. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. R. Currier Co.

ENGEL—The funeral services of George W. Engel, superintendent of Faulkner's mills, North Billerica, were held yesterday afternoon at his home, 22 Orchard street, North Cambridge and were largely attended. Rev. William F. Wilson, pastor of the West Somerville Baptist church, officiated. There were many beautiful flowers. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at Mt. Auburn cemetery.

tery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

GEORGIOPOULOS—The funeral of James Georgiopoulos took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Antonia and Angel, 423 Adams street. Rev. Heriton Pannagoulou, pastor of the Greek church, officiated.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

SMITH—The funeral of the late Mrs. Bridget Hampson Smith will take place Thursday morning at 7:45 o'clock from the home of her sister, Miss Margaret G. Hampson, 2 Pleasant street, Dracut. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church at 2 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

ANNUAL MEETING

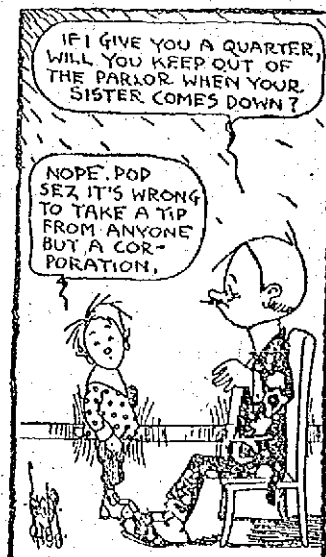
The annual meeting of the Grace Universalist church was held last evening with a large attendance of members.

At 7 o'clock a supper was served by the D. L. Page Co. and this was followed with speeches by Rev. James Bancroft, Rev. C. E. Fisher, Rev. C. R. Skinner, William Sherwell, superintendent of the Sunday school, and others.

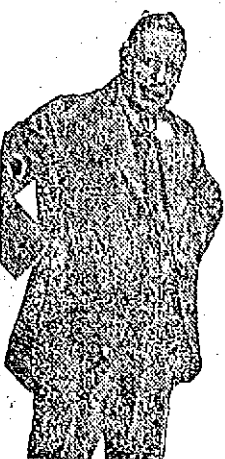
Dr. G. Forrest was chosen to act as moderator during the evening and Newell T. Putnam clerk. The reports of the treasurer and collector showed that the society is in a good financial condition and the number of pews rented is much greater than a year ago. Thirty-three new members were voted into the society last evening. Considerable routine business was transacted and the meeting was declared successful in every way.

Don't forget that The Sun issues a noon edition containing all the latest local and telegraphic news.

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LOCAL OLD TIME BALL PLAYERS

Held Reunion at Arlington Yesterday Afternoon

Arthur Salmon and Geo. E. Worthen Among the Veterans



GEORGE E. WORTHEN
One of the Oldest Fans

The bungalow of Freeman N. Young of Arlington, "You Say," was the scene yesterday of a unique as well as a very pleasant reunion of the old Bartlett baseball team of Lowell and vicinity. All the members of the team who played with this aggregation back in 1873, '74 and '75 that could possibly reach the spot were present. A special car took a large delegation of Lowell men down to Arlington and to say that an enjoyable day was spent at the Arlington man's place would be to put it mildly.

The host, Mr. Young, was celebrating his 55th birthday and this fact was an added incentive to the justification of the affair. From the time that the guests arrived until the breaking up of the party late last night good fellowship reigned supreme. All the championship contests of the '70s were played over again and baseball was the principle topic under discussion throughout the day.

Dinner was served in the basement of the bungalow and was attended by the little formalities which go to make an occasion of this kind long to be remembered. Arthur J. Salmon, of Lowell presided as chairman and his address on the old Bartlett team was closely followed and deeply appreciated by those present.

Mr. Salmon's remarks were of great interest to all those who were connected with the Bartletts in the days when

Weymouth: Almon B. Raymond, South Raymond; Charles H. Clapp, South Weymouth; C. W. Blood, Lowell; Groton: George H. Reed, Acton; Acton: E. Faulkner, Comm. Acton; Boston: George L. Merrill, King Phillips; Boston: Alden B. Hiley, Stars, Lowell; Philip H. Hiley, Stars, Lowell; Samuel W. Underhill, Hickory, East Lexington; Charles S. Beal, Active, Rockland; Wilfred H. Gilson, King Phillips; Quincy: Frank W. Lyndon, Athletics; Milton: Harry A. Batchelder, King Phillips; Melrose: Alton S. Ashworth, Bartlett, Lowell; Michael M. Doyle, Lowell; Lowell: Frank McLaughlin, Bartlett, Lowell; Herbert E. Webster, scorer, Bartlett, Lowell; John J. Guthrie, Excelsior, Lowell; Charles O. Hall, Bartlett, Lowell; Mortimer Hayes, Excelsior, Lowell; C. H. Newbury, Taunton Junior, Taunton; Abbot F. Lawrence, Taunton Junior, Taunton; George W. Colby, Taunton Junior, Taunton; W. P. Fore, Lowell, Lowell; E. F. Dickinson, Hickory, Billerica; Henry J. McAlvin, Bartlett, Lowell; George E. Worthen, Bartlett, Lowell; Charles E. Parkhurst, Peabody; Chelmsford: W. A. Sherman, Massot; Lowell: William E. Patten, Hickory; Lowell: James Sampson, Merrimack; Chelmsford: D. Arthur Burt, Taunton Junior, Taunton; Joseph P. Gray, Lowell, West Newton; J. W. White, Lowell, Boston; George E. Sladen, Bartlett, Lowell; H. H. Joy, Active, South Weymouth; P. E. Hartwell, Howards Junior, Brockton; Charles L. Beck, Acton, Boston; Rev. D. J. Sullivan, Excelsior, Boston; Dr. A. Howard, Bartlett, Chelmsford; W. H. Hawes, Bartlett, Lowell.

Y. M. C. I. WON

Defeated the Ponies at Basketball by Score of 38 to 8

A one-sided game of basketball was decided last evening at Y. M. C. I. hall when the home team defeated the Ponies of Centralville by the score of 38 to 8. The Ponies proved to be of the Sheldahl variety and very tame, so that the champs from Belvidere had little difficulty with them. While the contest itself was rather uneven, there was enough action and excitement at all times to warrant a trust between periods.

The boys from Centralville, while outclassed by their more experienced opponents, strove hard to put over a victory. Koenen and G. Clapp excellently for the winners, while Bradbury played well for the Ponies.

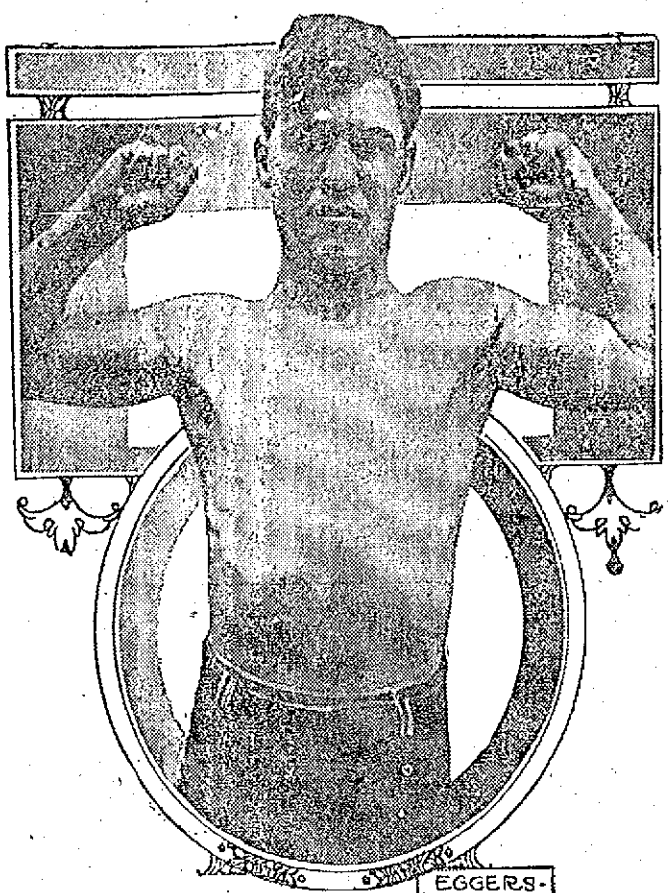
For next week the manager, Wm. King, is endeavoring to obtain the Y. M. C. G. as opponents.

The lineup:

Y. M. C. I. PONIES
G. Clark R. J. Bowen
McGowan I. Logan
Huggerty, O'Neil a. a Bradbury
Koenen I. b Kearney
G. Clark, Kenefick H. lb Morris

After the contest about 100 couples danced to music furnished by Gray's orchestra. This added feature to the

KNOCKOUT EGGERS IS INVENTOR OF THE "CHLOROFORM PUNCH"



Knockout Eggers, the powerful young eastern lightweight fighter, is adding considerably to his reputation this winter. Knockout has put his so-called "chloroform punch" over on no

evening entertainment was pleasing to all present. Wm. Harrington acted as floor director.

"TOP" MEYERS WITH FEDERALS
BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Russell Ford of the New York Americans who is reported to have signed a Federal league contract in Chicago, will come to the Buffalo team, according to Manager Schlabach.

"Hap" Meyers, released by Boston to the Rochester International league and Joe Aglieri of New York have signed to play with Buffalo, it was said.

Incorporation papers for the local club have been mailed to Albany.

less than twenty-two opponents during his ring career, and of late at the Sharkey A. C., New York, he has defeated several fast men. Knockout Eggers is one of the hardest hitting lads of his weight in the country.

LEAGUE GAMES

All Local Leagues Were Busy—Several Close Games Rolled Off

Two games were contested in the Y. M. C. A. Bowling league last night. The Sioux Five had no difficulty in taking all three strings and the total from the Monhegans, the final score being 1361 to 1223. Pead was high with 293. In the other match the Wannanets swamped the Nabassetts by the score of 1245 to 1125.

The Cubs took a well played game from the Invincibles in the Concord league. The winners took all three strings but up to the last one the contest was very close. Burns of the losers was high man with 297. Daly rolled the high single of 115.

The Tremont and Suffolk team had no trouble with the Appleton aggregation in their Manufacturers' league game. The final score read 1359 to 1223. McDermott, anchor man for the winners, was high.

The Baraca league had two games scheduled for last night and both contests were rolled off. The First Trinitarian team won from the First Primitive Methodist and the Swedish M. E. five took a game from the bowlers of St. Paul's M. E. church. F. Schonborn of the Swedish team put up the high scores in this league.

The Bohemians gave their Minor league rivals, the Superbas, a bad beating last night winning the match by the score of 1380 to 1219. Lees of the winners was high man with 293 and Mason of the team that put up the high single of 110. The scores of the various games are as follows:

Y. M. C. A. LEAGUE
Sioux—R. Johnson, 255; Gumb, 265; Smith, 280; Pead, 283; C. Johnson, 270; total, 1361.
Monhegans—Sub, 241; A. Willson, 230; Morrison, 240; Atkinson, 261; Pearson, 260; total, 1223.
Wannanets—Stakes, 241; Buzzell, 260; Duncan, 255; Kelley, 237; Jordan, 252; total, 1245.
Nabassetts—Denham, 232; Fox, 229; Kimball, 210; Markland, 237; sub, 218; total, 1125.

CONCORD LEAGUE
Subs—Henson, 262; Daly, 255; Clark, 245; Phelps, 273; Eastham, 274; total, 1312.
Invincibles—Choquette, 273; Hammerley, 255; Smith, 241; Burns, 207; Rogers, 259; total, 1305.

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE
Tremont & Suffolk—Whalen, 255; Gray, 250; Manning, 257; Jodoin, 266; McDermott, 269; total, 1300.
Appleton—Dunning, 240; Curley, 239; Marsden, 259; Angus, 237; Graves, 245; total, 1223.

BARACA LEAGUE
First Trinitarian—Coffin, 252; Barlow, 240; Hibbs, 253; Kilpatrick, 247; Brown, 278; total, 1370.
First Primitive Methodist—Mason, 270; Barris, 267; Graham, 257; Matthews, 253; S. Willis, 253; total, 1305.
Swedish M. E.—H. Johnson, 259; I. Johnson, 243; H. Hornsahl, 240; F. Schonborn, 309; A. Schonborn, 238; total, 1296.
St. Paul's M. E.—Burt, 254; Eloy, 251; Sub, 224; McElroy, 257; B. Richardson, 271; total, 1257.

MINOR LEAGUE
Bohemians—Dyer, 255; Lees, 293; McDermott, 255; Jodoin, 251; Mason, 255; total, 1310.
Superbas—Kenney, 250; O'Hell, 249; Underwood, 227; Lynch, 233; Calvert, 250; total, 1210.

A boy named William Lawton, who resides at 254 School street, broke his right leg last night in a coasting accident. It appears that the Lawton boy was run down by a double-runner while dragging his sled up the hill after a coast. He was taken to the Lowell hospital by the ambulance.

Athletes and Athletics

According to the figures computed by Parke Davis, Princeton's representative, 100 colleges and 5000 schools were represented on the gridiron last fall. This in itself speaks for the popularity of the American game of rugby football. 43,200 games were played and over 160,000 players participated in them. These figures are astonishing even to those who are familiar with the sport.

Champion Willie Ritchie has again agreed to sign up for his long deferred bout with Harlem Tommy Murphy. Whether or not this fight will fall through is a matter purely for speculation. It is certain that Ritchie will have to count his shakels before the battle or there will be no tickets sold. The lightweight champion says that his hands are now in fit shape for a hard scrap.

There will be plenty of fun at the Army next Saturday night when the athletic teams of G and K meet teams from outside the city. G will take on the basketball team of Co. L of the Fifth, a Vasham company, and it will play the basket shooter of the Lawrence Military A. A. The latter team is well known and has some first class professionals in their lineup. The Vasham soldiers are also well known and should give G a merry struggle. The largest crowd of the season is looked for by the Army management.

The Johnson-Moran fight is causing a great deal of discussion and it is safe to say it will cause more if the fight is run off and the big negro loses. In any event it must go as a championship ship and the champion can choose his own opponents and, of course, every time that he puts up his hands his honors are at stake. So, therefore, if Moran should whip Johnson we

would have for the first time in history, a third rate who bore the title of world's heavyweight champion.

The new rule which is being talked of in football circles provides that a coach cannot send word to his players during a contest. The majority of these rules are always brought forward by theorists who know nothing about the practical side of the game. If a coach is so minded he can send word to his players at any time either through a system of pre-arranged signals or some similar scheme. Of course it is all fine and proper to say, "well such a coach is not living up to the rules," but what are you going to do about it? The coach who lives up to the spirit of the rules loses every time and such regulations simply put a premium upon duplicity in the game. If there are less instead of more of such rules the game would be improved rather than otherwise.

Connie Mack hasn't had any trouble about signing up the world's champions and he has several over besides. The Federals would do little business with any of the Athletics and they know it and wisely keep away. Thomas, Dan Murphy, Coombs and Plank are the only men who haven't signed and they are all ready to send in their contracts. Mack is one of the very few managers who is not getting additional grey hairs just now.

The coast artillery games at the Irvington street armory Saturday night will draw an immense crowd as usual. Between five and six hundred athletes will compete in these games. Harvard has the largest number of entries. Thirty-seven Grinnell runners will be entered in the 440-yard dash and in practically the entire squad will be in uniform.

DIAMOND NOTES

The Detroit Baseball club received signed contracts from three recruits. They are George Burns, first baseman, from the Sioux City team; Martin Kavanaugh, third baseman, last year with the York, Penn. team, and Ralph Comstock, pitcher, whom the Tigers obtained from Minneapolis.

Ben Johnson, recently remarked "Eighty per cent. of the players in my league have already signed their contracts for next season."

That leaves just 20 per cent. of the players in the American league for the Federals to pick from, minus all of the stars in the Johnson organization.

Many of the owners of the National league clubs are making hurried trips to the players' homes and inducing them to sign an increase in salary. Yep, the "claves" are all getting a few more "iron men" for hitching their names to contracts this season.

Vice Pres. Edw. McKeever of Brooklyn, announced that the signed contract of Catcher Otto Miller had been received.

George Cuthshaw, the little second baseman, and Pitcher "Hansen" Pfeffer also signed with the Dodgers.

President Gilmore of the "Feds" made a trip from Chicago to Indianapolis in the hope of signing up Owino Hush, George Daus and Paddy Bauman, all members of the Detroit Tigers. The leader of the "outlaw" league left Indianapolis shrouded in gloom, for the trio of players said that they would be loyal to Hughes, Jennings and slick to the Tigers.

President Hempstead of the Giants received Outfielder George Burns signed contract and said that he expected at least three more directly.

The Newark club bought Outfielder Leo Callahan and Pitcher Kent from the Toronto club and also signed Outfielder Jack Dalton.

Sam Agnew, the Browns' star pitcher, who was said to have joined the Feds, signed a two-year contract with Col. Hedges the other day. Arnold Hauer, the Cardinals' shortstop, also signed with President Britton for the coming season.

The New York Americans have sent a new contract to Russell Ford, calling for a reduction in salary. It is said, in view of his inferior box work last year. Ford hasn't signed with Joe Tinker's club yet. Tinker has made a certain offer, but Ford wants to have the money placed in the bank to his account.

Edward Hanlon, it appears, was in New York on Wednesday and vainly tried to sign Pitcher Chalmers of the Pirates for the Baltimore team. Hanlon, in Baltimore the other day, confirmed the report that he had begged Kirkpatrick of the Dodgers, Outfielder Zinn of Rochester and Pitcher Frank Smith of Montreal.

Mike Morley, third baseman of the Pirates, has denied that he actually has signed a Baltimore contract. He admits that he is considering an offer from Otto Knabe.

Joe Tinker has failed so far to get Arthur Fletcher to leave the Giants. Fletcher says he prefers to play ball in New York and thinks that the Giants will cut up another slice of world's series money next fall.

Geo. Stovall, manager of the Kansas City Feds, insists that Arthur Fromme has agreed to join McDermott. Fromme, however, says that he hasn't signed with any one yet.

Practically all the National and American league clubs have agents out hustling to sign their players. Within the next week, it is believed, many new contracts will be promulgated by Presidents Tener and Johnson.

The Detroit Tigers also signed up Pitcher Comstock. First Baseman Burns and Third Baseman Kavanaugh.

President James Gaffney of the Boston Nationals is one of the big league club owners who is visiting his players. Gaffney first went to see "Rabbit" Maranville and asked him what he wanted for next season.

The Cleveland Naps purchased Pitcher "Rip" Hagerman from the Portland club of the Pacific Coast league.

Otto Knabe, manager of the Baltimore "Feds" is in Pittsburgh, trying to induce Vince Campbell, the former Boston player, to sign with the Baltimore team.

The Oakland Baseball club released Pitcher Dwight Stone to Montgomery and Pitcher Schwenk to Nashville of the Southern league. Both players were purchased last year from the St. Louis Browns.

SPORTING NOTES

Members of the University of Pennsylvania varsity club confined to athletes who have won their letter, will have a special in-door track meet. Six designs have been adopted. The football player shows a gridiron; baseball, a diamond; track and field an oval; rowing, reversed oars, and allied sports a checkered board. The background of the entire is blue surrounded by red and gold.

In the nineteen major and minor outdoor and indoor sports recognized by the eastern colleges an intercollegiate contest for the season of 1912, Harvard leads in championships won with seven firsts and one second. Yale is second with four firsts and four seconds, and Cornell third with two firsts and four seconds.

The Oxford University Boat club has regained possession of the rowing barge in which the Oxford crew of 1822 rowed and won the first intervarsity race against Cambridge university on the Thames near London on June 10, 1822. The boat, which is 45 feet long and 4 feet 4 inches wide at the middle, is constructed of nine streak or lap boards, a keel and a gunwale. A long plank runs the length of the centre of the boat and the thwarts are supported by single upright iron stays. The heavier material is spruce, the smaller ribs ash, and the main timbers oak. The thwart plus are narrow and the oarmen sat at the extreme opposite end of the boat.

The boat was used for a number of succeeding races and some ten years later was stored in an old boathouse at Oxford as unfit for further use. In 1841 Sir Robert Monzie, then a student and oarsman at Oxford, purchased the boat and had it skinned to Loph Runcock. There the historic grandfather of all racing shells remained until his death, when it was sold with other relics of Castle Menzies, thus after seventy years the primitive racing craft has returned to the scene of its earlier triumphs and history making.

MINOR LEAGUE

Wamesits and Oregonians Still Tied for First Place—Shelvey and Nelson Lead Individual Figures

The latest figures for the Minor league show the Wamesits and the Oregonians still tied for first place in the percentage column. The Bohemians are close behind and are within striking distance of the top. Shelvey and Nelson are running even for individual honors. The figures in detail follow:

Team standing:	Won	Lost	P.C.
Wamesits	11	13	76.5
Oregonians	11	13	76.5
Bohemians	23	15	60.5
Dodgers	25	19	56.8
South Ends	24	20	54.5
Lancians	19	25	42.2
Superbas	16	28	36.1
Beavers	6	33	15.4

Individual averages:
Shelvey 33, Nelson 33, Mason 22, Ford 22, Lane 22, Dyer 22, Greer 22, DeLoach 21, Reinger 21, Hulmes 20, Lee 20, McDermott 20, Atkinson 20, Baxter 20, McKinley 20, Gleason 20, Bonhoun 20, Gill 20, Downey 20, McDonald 20, Quinn 20, Jodoin 20, Jenkins 20, Hayes 20, Spanos 20, Mullin 20, O'Hell 20, Underwood 20, Dow 20, O'Brien 20, Carly 20, Thurber 20, O'Neill 20, Kinney 20, Lynch 20, Murphy 20, Hickey 20, Schonborn 20, McElahan 20.

DEMER DRAFTS FOR SHIPS
WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Ships we are going to build in the future will have even deeper drafts than 30 feet and the depth of prominent harbors in the United States should be at least 35 feet," said Rear Admiral Watt, chief of the naval bureau of construction and repair, in a statement to the house naval affairs committee made public today.

REDUCES NUMBER OF MARRIAGES
THOMPSONVILLE, Conn., Jan. 21.—Under the operation of the marriage law, which went into effect last August, Thompsonville, for years a popular place for out-of-town couples desiring to wed, is fast losing its reputation as a Gretna Green. The law requires that persons living outside the town must the application for a marriage certificate five days in advance of the ceremony.

FINDS OF INDIAN EARTHWORKS
MADISON, Wis., Jan. 21.—Important finds of Indian earthworks of which there had been no previous record have been made in northern Wisconsin by two members of the Wisconsin archaeological society, according to announcement today by the University of Wisconsin. The earthworks remain were discovered by J. P. Schuchman of Green Bay and W. A. Titus of Fond du Lac, in Portage, Marathon and Lincoln counties.

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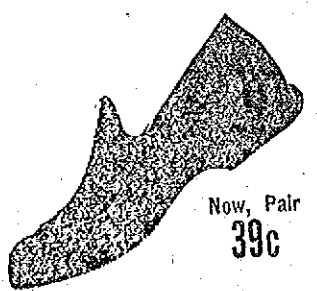
Men's, former price \$1.98, now..... \$1.79

Ladies', former price \$1.98, now..... \$1.49

Misses' former price \$1.49, now..... \$1.19

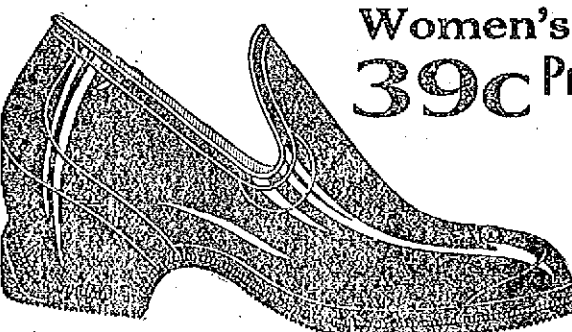
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Women's 65c Storm or Low Cut Rubbers, with extension heels, like cut. Our former price 49c, now 39c

WOMEN'S STORM ALASKAS
Women's Storm Alaskas, cloth top, all sizes. Our former price 89c, now 59c

LADIES' TAN RUBBERS
Ladies' Tan Rubbers, high or low heels. Our former price 69c, now 59c

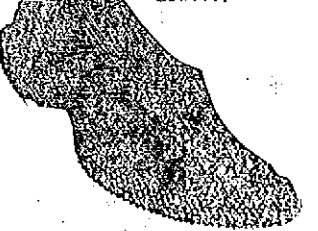
MEN'S Heavy 1-Buckle OVERSHOES
Men's Heavy 1-Buckle Overshoes. All sizes. One pair to each customer. Former price 98c, now 79c

Youths' 60c Heavy Rolled Sole and Heel Rubbers. Sizes 11 to 2. Our former price 45c. Now..... 49c, now..... 45c

Men's 75c Rubbers, extension heel. Our former price 49c. Now..... 59c, now..... 49c

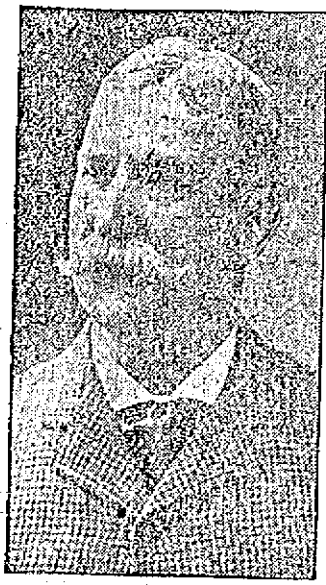
300 Pairs of Misses' and Children's Rubbers. Sizes 11 to 2. Former price 35c, 29c now 29c, 25c

Men's Heavy Rolled Edge Rubbers, storm or low cut. Our former price 90c, 69c now..... 90c, 69c



Youths' Low Cut Rubbers, extension heels. Sizes 0 to 2. Former price 39c, 35c now 39c, 35c

N. E. VETERAN FIREMEN'S LEAGUE

Appeal in Behalf of the
Men Who Risked
Their LivesCaptain Walker of Low-
ell Made Head of State
OrganizationJAMES H. WALKER
President

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—An appeal to fire commissioners to think occasionally of the men who handle the hose lines at the peril of their lives was made by Chief John A. Mullen of the Boston fire department at the annual dinner of the New England States Veteran Firemen's League yesterday afternoon at the River House. Chief Mullen, who was one of the guests, also urged that firemen be subject to not too stringent discipline. "Semi-discipline," he said, "was better suited to them."

Chief Mullen pointed out that the firemen, not only of Boston, but all over New England, have just passed through a very strenuous month. He paid a high compliment to the old firemen, who, he said, had done noble work and got little out of it.

Other guests and speakers were John J. Mullen of East Providence, District Chief Gorman of Gloucester and Daniel W. Keefe of Fall River and John R. Jackson of Brockton. Mr. Keefe urged the firemen to care for all their individuals, both as an organization and as individuals, in the work of fire prevention, including the betterment of building construction. He also made a strong plea for observance of a firemen's memorial day.

At the business meeting, which preceded the banquet, the following officers were elected: James H. Walker

of Lowell, president; Chief Geo. Hunt of Providence, Patrick Manning of Amesbury, Daniel W. Steele of Hartford, Henry J. Eaton of Hartford and Horace W. Gray of Portsmouth, vice presidents; Charles T. Tolin of Salem, secretary, and Geo. A. Sanford of Chelsea, treasurer.

In the absence of President Walker, because of the illness of his mother, Vice President Hunt presided. The secretary was made custodian of the league pipe, used in playlets.

W. H. Hathaway, for 20 years secretary of the organization, declined to accept reelection. As a mark of honor to him the members unanimously voted him a past president of the organization, and also voted to present him a past president's badge. There were exactly 100 present.

SAND-CLAY ROAD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—There are at present about 55,000 miles of sand clay roads in the United States, mainly in the southern states, according to the office of public roads, U. S. department of agriculture. The time to work the roads is in the spring when the soil is damp. If the working of the roads is deferred until late in summer when they are dry, they are not only much more difficult to put in proper shape but the cost of repair is greater than if they were worked early in the spring.

Previous to 1894 comparatively little, if any, of these roads existed. The popularity of this type of road is due to the fact that it is cheap, comparatively firm and durable, easy to con-

ACID STOMACHS
ARE DANGEROUS

Nine-tenths of All Stomach Trouble
Said to be Due to Acidity

A Physician's Advice on Cause and Cure

A famous physician whose successful researches into the cause and cure of stomach and intestinal diseases have earned for him an international reputation, said in the course of a recent lecture that nearly all intestinal troubles, as well as many diseases of the vital organs were directly traceable to a deranged condition of the stomach which in turn was due nine times out of ten to excessive acidity, commonly termed sour stomach or heartburn, which not only irritated and inflamed the delicate lining of the stomach, but also set gas and gastric acid on fire. It is interesting to note that he condemns the use of patent medicines as well as of medical treatment for the stomach, stating that he and his colleagues have secured remarkable results by the use of ordinary disordered magnesia, which, by neutralizing the acidity of the food, removes the source of the trouble. He contends that it is as foolish to treat the stomach itself as it would be for a man who stopped a leak in a rubber lining on the foot without first removing the tack. Remove the tack and the foot will heal itself—neutralize the acid and stomach troubles will disappear. Irritating medicines and medical treatments are useless, so long as the contents of the stomach remain acid; remove the acidity, and there will be no need for medicine. The inflamed lining of the stomach will then heal itself. Sufferers from acid, hot or cold water, or from gas, should get a small bottle of bicarbonate of soda from their druggist, and take a teaspoonful in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water after meals, repeating in fifteen minutes if necessary. This being the dose which the doctor has found most efficacious in all cases.

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tips tomorrow

—if you watch this paper.

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SALE

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SALE

OUR SEMI-ANNUAL

Twenty-Five Cent Sale

OPENS TOMORROW MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK AND WILL CONTINUE
FOR FOUR DAYS—THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

It's a positive fact that the values we offer in our 25c sales are the best ever offered in Lowell. During this sale we are going to beat all previous records. We take stock February 1st and will sacrifice profits on all lots we do not intend carrying over. Every article or group of articles is 25c—nothing higher.

Every department is represented in this 25 cent sale. Cost price is lost sight of; so that no matter what you need you are almost certain of securing it here tomorrow for A QUARTER. The greatest price-slashing in Lowell Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday. Profits thrown to the wind.

Ruinous prices will prevail. The values run from 39c up as high as a dollar. This naturally means that some items will go with a rush and may not last throughout the day—so that the early comers will be sure of biggest values; other values will be added from time to time, so as to keep the bargain interest up to the highest pitch up to Monday night.

DOORS OPEN AT 9 A. M.

25c SALE OF NOTIONS

John J. Clark's Spool Cotton, 200 yards, regular price 40c each; sale price 13 Spools 25c
Basting Cotton, 100 yards, regular price 5c; sale price 8 Spools for 25c
Hooks and Eyes, regular price 5c each; sale price 13 Cards for 25c
Spring Fasteners, all sizes, regular price 10c; sale price 4 Dozen for 25c
Sewing Silk, 100 yard spools, regular price 5c; sale price 7 Spools for 25c

25c SALE OF SILKS

Plain and Dotted Silk, 27 inches wide, light and medium shades, regular price 25c a yard; sale price 2 Yards for 25c
Foulard Silk, 24 inches wide, regular price 39c yard; sale price 25c Yard

25c SALE OF WOMEN'S AND
CHILDREN'S GLOVES

Women's Finest Milanese Cashmere Gloves, lined, in tan, black, wine, green; regular price 25c 2 Pairs for 25c
Women's Suede Lined Cashmere Gloves, 2-clasp, in white and natural; regular price 39c 25c Pair
Women's Slightly Soiled Kid Gloves, in broken sizes; regular price 50c 25c Pair
Children's Woolen Gloves, in tan, gray, navy and red; regular price 25c 25c Pair

25c SALE OF MEN'S, WOMEN'S
AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Women's Medium Weight Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, deep garter tops; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c
Women's Silk Lisle Hose, in black and tan, high apical heels, double soles; also double garter tops; regular price 15c 2 Pairs for 25c
Children's Woolen Hose, gray heel and toe, double knees, heels and toes; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c
Men's Fine Natural Wool Half Hose, improved heel and toe; regular price 19c 2 Pairs for 25c

25c SALE OF COTTON
WASH GOODS

12 1/2c Bates' Gingham; sale price 2 1/2 Yards for 25c
12 1/2c Fancy Fleece Flannel; sale price 2 1/2 Yards for 25c
10c Yard Wide Percales, all colors; sale price 3 1/2 Yards for 25c
10c Outing Flannel; sale price 3 1/2 Yards for 25c
8c Apron Gingham; sale price 5 Yards for 25c
8c Outing Flannel; sale price 4 Yards for 25c
7c Prints, light or dark colors; sale price 5 Yards for 25c
6 1/2c Gingham and Muslin; sale price 6 Yards for 25c
5 1/2c a Pair Blankets; sale price 25c Each

25c SALE RUGS AND DRAPERY
DEPT.

Curtain Scribble, 10c value 2 Yards 25c
Cottonette, 12c value 2 Yards 25c
Cottonette, 12 1/2c value 3 Yards 25c
Curtain Rods, extension, 10c value 3 for 25c
Curtain Rods, full size, 6c value 7 for 25c
Rug Fringe, all colors, 12 1/2c value 3 Yards 25c
Window Shades, with pull complete, for 25c
Cinema Pictures, 60 subjects, 10c value 5 for 25c
Drummer's Samples of Lace, yard goods, 3 Pieces for 25c
Floor Oil Cloths, extra heavy, 35c value 25c Sq. Yard
Wool and Fiber Stair Carpet, 45c value 25c Sq. Yard
Hemp Stair Carpet, 25c value 25c Sq. Yard
Hodges' Fiber Matting, 3 to 12 yard pieces, 2 Yards for 25c
Curved End Extension Rods 2 for 25c
Silkoline, yard wide, 12 1/2c value 3 Yards for 25c
Muslin Curtains, 6 tuks, 39c value, 25c Pair

25c SALE OF JEWELRY

1 lot of Jewelry, consisting of brooch pins, brooches, handy pin sets and veil pins; some of these are worth from 25c to 50c; sale price 3 for 25c
Black Beaded Bags with metal chain and frame and coin purse, with long or short chain, in gun metal and silver; regular price 50c; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF BELTS

Elastic Braid and Leather Belts, with assorted buckles; regular price 25c; sale price 3 for 25c

25c SALE OF BAGS

Ladies' Hand Bags, in black seal grain leather or suede leather, in colors, each fitted with purse; regular price of some was \$1.00; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF MUSLIN
UNDERWEAR

Corset Covers with deep yoke of embroidery, two rows of tulle lace and ribbon run; regular price 19c. Sale price 12 1-2c
Corset Covers of good nainsook, handsomely trimmed with embroidery, beadings and tulle lace; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c
Women's Drawers, with cluster of tucks and deep ruffle of embroidery; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c Pair
Long White Skirts of good cambric, with hemstitched ruffle and cluster of pin tucks; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c
Children's Colored Flannelette Gowns, 6 to 12 years; regular price 39c. Sale price 25c

25c SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

Cambric insertions and edges, 2 to 5 inches; regular price 12 1-2c yard. Sale price 3 Yards 25c
Wide Swiss insertions and galloons, mostly remnants of 2 to 4 yards; regular price 39c yard. Sale price 25c Yard
Cambric Beadings, 1-inch wide; regular price 10c yard. Sale price 6 Yards 25c

25c SALE OF APRONS

Tea Aprons, edged with val lace, others with wide band of embroidery, slightly counter mused; regular price 50c. Sale price 25c

25c SALE OF DRESS GOODS

38 inch wide Poplar Serge, in the newest shades; regular price 42c yard; sale price 25c Yard

25c SALE OF WOMEN'S
NECKWEAR

Dutch Collars, Swiss embroidered and lace; regular price 25c; sale price 2 for 25c
Jackets and Dutch Collars; regular price 25c; sale price 2 for 25c
Lace Collars and Stock Collars; regular price 50c; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF WAISTS

Percale Waists, in assorted colored stripes, made in shirt effects, soft collar and French cuffs. Broken sizes and counter mused. Sale price 25c
Cross Barred Muslin Waists, in three styles, all white, very good values for this special sale. Sale price 25c
Black Soisette Waists, buttoned front and long sleeves, in small sizes, good values. Sale price 25c

25c SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Plain Linen, Lace Trimmed, Embroidered and Initial Handkerchiefs, values up to 10c; sale price 6 for 25c
Women's Plain and Initial Handkerchiefs, 13c value; sale price 2 for 25c
Men's Handkerchiefs, regular price 6 1/2c; sale price 5 for 25c
Men's Plain and Initial Handkerchiefs, 13c value; sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF RIBBONS

Odd Lengths of Ribbons, regular price 16c, 19c, 50c; sale price 2 Yards for 25c

25c SALE OF MILLINERY

Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, regular price 98c; sale price 25c
Women's Felt Hats, regular price 98c to \$1.50; sale price 25c
Hat Frames, new spring styles, regular price 50c; sale price 25c
Fancy Feathers and Flowers, regular price 50c to 98c; sale price 25c

25c SALE OF WOMEN'S AND
CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

Women's Fleece Vests, high neck, long sleeves, 39c quality; sale price 25c
Women's Fleece Pants, ankle length, 39c quality; sale price 25c
Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace bottom, 50c quality; sale price 25c
Children's Fleece Vests and Pants, 39c quality; sale price 25c Each
Boys' Balbriggan Shirts, high neck, long sleeves, 25c quality; sale price 2 for 25c
Boys' Balbriggan Drawers, ankle length, 25c quality; sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF PETTICOATS
AND KIMONOS

Women's Black Percale Petticoats, regular price 50c; sale price 25c
Women's Short Flannelette Kimonos, regular price 39c; sale price 25c
Children's Flannelette Dresses, sizes 1, 2 and 3 years, regular price 39c; sale price 25c
Infants' Long Flannelette Skirts and Slips, regular price 35c each; sale price 25c Each
Infants' Dands, small sizes, regular price 25c; sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF TOILET GOODS

1 Pound Can of Crushed Rose and Violet Talcum Powder, regular price 15c; sale price 25c
Combination—Your choice of 1 box of Colgate's, Dr. Lyon's or Santal Tooth Powder with any 19c tooth brush, regular price 35c; sale price 25c
Lily of the Valley Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in a box, regular price 10c a box; sale price 3 Boxes for 25c
1 Bottle of Benzoinated Cream and 1 Tube of Duggett & Ramsdell's Cold Cream, regular price 35c; sale price 25c
Hair Brushes, with cherry and black backs, with white porcelaine face, regular price 50c; sale price 25c
Hair Nets, all colors, with elastic, regular price 5c; sale price 13 for 25c

25
CENT SALE25c SALE OF SHEETS AND
PILLOW CASES

40c Full Size Bleached Sheets, made of good quality cotton, subject to slight imperfections, limit 4 to a customer, and no telephone orders. Sale price 25c Each
11c Pillow Cases, made of fine bleached cotton, size 42x36. Sale price 3 for 25c

17c Hemstitched Pillow Cases, size 45x36.

Sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF TOWELS

17c Turkish Bath Towels, heavy, spongy quality. Sale price 2 for 25c
19c Huck Towels, good large size 50 per cent. linen. Sale price 2 for 25c
33c Turkish Bath Towels, extra heavy. Sale price 25c Each
25c Damask Towels, hemstitched, size 19x42, limit 6 to a customer and no telephone orders. Sale price 2 for 25c

25c SALE OF FANCY LINENS

50c and 70c Hand Crocheted Doilies. Sale price 2 for 25c
25c, 29c and 39c Scarfs, Squares and Doilies, size scarfs 18x54, squares 30 inches; and doilies 30 inches round; hemstitched, scalloped and trimmed with tulle lace. Sale price 2 for 25c
50c and 70c Renaissance Doilies and Japanese Drawn Squares. Sale price 25c Each

25c SALE OF CRASHES

10c Unbleached Linen Crash. Sale price 3 1-4 Yards for 25c
15c Warranted All Pure Linen Crash. Sale price 2 1-4 Yards for 25c

25c SALE OF LONG CLOTH

10c Long Cloth, 36 inches wide. Sale price 3 1-4 Yards for 25c
12 1-2c Long Cloth, 36 inches wide. Sale price 2 1-2 Yards for 25c

25c SALE OF TRAY CLOTHS

19c Mercerized Tray Cloths, best American made. Sale price 2 for 25c
39c Warranted All Pure Linen Tray Cloths, hemstitched. Sale price 25c Each

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FREAK BILLS

The person who surveys the bulky volume that contains the acts of the legislature of 1913 and compares it with the summer volumes of past years will be inclined to think that legislative activity was at high water mark last year, but he is liable to change his mind on reading that over 2000 bills have been already presented to the house and senate for action during the present session. Luckily many of these were born to bluish unseen as far as their blossoming into law is concerned, but the record of last year proves that not all the freak bills die an untimely if richly deserved death in their initial stages.

Freak bills may be attributed to two dominating influences: the natural desire of young legislators to appear active to their constituents, regardless of the subject of their activity, and the growing tendency to carry all municipal and purely local annoyances to the state legislature for redress. Bills are being introduced continually which, if passed after long and tiresome debate would affect a comparatively few people, perhaps in one city or town, while measures that are needed for the general regulation of some widespread evil are delayed or given secondary consideration.

As an example of the freak bills that have already been presented to the legislature is one to grant liquor licenses by lot, and another to compel collar manufacturers to have a certain number of layers of linen thicknesses. There is no need to discuss the former because it is on the face of it ridiculous; the other while perhaps desirable lays undue emphasis on one relatively unimportant phase of laws governing the dry goods business. If the federal laws governing buying and selling are not stringent or emphatic enough, a state law to regulate the trade should be broader in its scope than a mere matter of collars, in the buying and selling of which there can be little public hardship. There is but slight sense of proportion in a bill of this nature while such great measures as the railroad question, child labor and other matters of industrial and economic importance call for redress.

As an example of the carrying of a local matter to the legislature is a bill presented in the senate for the purpose of permitting a fireman of Lawrence to be elected to, or rather re-elected in, the permanent fire force of that city. He was formerly a member but having been granted a leave of absence some years ago was prevented from getting back his rating by a rule of the civil service commission. It may be that there is no other way by which he could get back on the fire force, but if so there is something wrong with a system that would necessitate the taking of such a relatively unimportant matter to the state legislature. Were this airing of every little municipal or private difficulty to be encouraged, the time would come when people would expect domestic quarrels and neighborhood rows to be ironed out in the state house instead of in the police court.

The basic trouble in most instances is, of course, in the type of legislator chosen by communities to represent them in the state government. Political promises are the order of the day, and too often the man who promises most gets most votes, irrespective of whether his promises are practical or impossible of fulfillment. The election so gained frequently results in a burlesque of government, for the sensational seeker of office will strive to hold it by sensational means. One of these is the advocating of bills which will make him popular with a certain section of his personal following while arousing the laughter of the rest of the state. Freak bills would be a good joke if the subject were not too serious for joking.

INSPECTION OF TENEMENTS

At the regular meeting of the Lawrence city council a day or so ago it was decided to put into operation a new municipal regulation which provides for the inspection of tenements in that city under the indirect supervision of the municipal authorities. With a view towards raising the standard of living and sanitation in some sections, city employees in uniform will start on a systematic examination of the tenement property of the city. Tenements which do not come up to the proper standard will be reported and such action will be taken as will result in greater civic sanitation with its beneficial effects on the community collectively and individually.

The great advantage of this system is that it subjects the tenements to systematic and scientific examination without leaving it to haphazard. Here our board of health may and does make such an examination but it is quite possible that a flagrant example of uncleanness or unsanitary conditions would exist for months without being brought to the attention of the proper authorities. There is much to be regretted in the condition of congested districts in all cities and though some of it is not due to those who live in the tenements, or who own them, it is also true that no matter

how great the squalor or suffering there is much that cannot be excused and that could be easily remedied were the slightest regard shown for sanitation and cleanliness.

Were some system of municipal supervision exercised in all our larger cities, the standard of living in tenement property could undoubtedly be raised, and the result would be beneficial to those who may resent the civic intrusion at first as well as by the city as a whole. Lawrence is going about a troublesome duty in a very practical way. There are laws enough to get results and the chief thing is to get some system of supervision by which these laws may be applied advantageously.

GOVERNOR GOETHALS

It would be a reflection on the justice of public opinion in this country before the world were there any opposition to the selection of Colonel Goethals for governor of Panama, according to official rumors that have not been denied. Of his ability for the position there can be no question for he has given a practical demonstration of ability such as but few possess; this ability was shown as much by his administration of external matters in the republic as by the genius he displayed in the supervision of the canal building. He has been in that country long enough to understand its needs and he is better qualified to apply himself to their solution than one who is unfamiliar with the peculiar situation there. If the position is to be conferred as an honor there is no one more worthy of that honor than the man whose ability and persevering activity carried the greatest engineering achievement of modern times to a successful conclusion. Even if he is first governor of Panama posterity will remember him rather as the builder of the Panama canal.

ESCAPING PRISONERS

Despite the fact that our jails are becoming more and more transformed into apartment houses with modern sanitary privileges, prisoners are as anxious as ever to get out of the gilded cage. The papers recently reported two sensational escapes, one a break from jail in McAlester, Okla., in which three prisoners escaped, shooting wildly as they went and killing seven persons, and the other, a break out of a jail van, in Boston. It must be depressing to prison reformers to see that no matter how inventive they make an enforced stay in the government institutions, there are prisoners who do not appreciate a life of ease and comparative luxury. In the application of principles of humanity and mercy it is not well that vigilance should be relaxed.

Rep. Nichols has a bill in the legislature to prevent the publication of "pictures of candidates more than a year old." We presume the age of the pictures is here referred to and if so it may be remarked that few of the candidates are willing to pay for new pictures and the newspapers do not think it worth while.

Huerta is going to resign. Huerta is not going to resign. Nothing but revolution ahead for Mexico. The president is patiently waiting. You pay your money and take your choice of Mexican news.

Would the two employees of the D. & H. who held up the entire road until they were reinstated change places with the president and vice-president of the road?

The average young man who wishes to form an ideal for imitation and guidance could not do better than pattern himself on his mother's idea of him.

Two men surrender in Boston on the charge of election fraud. More arrests to follow. What does "election fraud" mean?

Why not start a Holy Name society as a means of getting all the men to attend church?

WORMS IN CHILDREN

Worms are a danger to the health of a child. Make sure that such is not the case with your child.

Signs of worms in children are: Deranged stomach, swollen upper lip, sour stomach, offensive breath, hard and full belly with occasional grings and pains about the navel, pale face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

If at all doubtful, make certain of health by using Dr. True's Elixir, the Family Laxative and Worm Expeller. It's the one best thing for regulating the stomach and bowels and expelling worms. At your druggist's, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. Advice free. Special treatment for tapeworms. Send for book.

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MISS EDITH WINCHESTER

Appearing in Her Original Role in "The Rosary"—Merrimack Square Theatre This Week

Seen and Heard

Even the man who wears a long, full beard has to keep watch of his whiskers to see when it is time to change.

When Dr. Watts wrote: "Birds in their little nests agree," he showed right away that he was not an observant ornithologist.

The singular of "gerse" being "goose" what is the singular of "Tortuguese"?

Why has it never occurred to any of the slapstick comedians on the stage to use a couple of doughnuts to make a pair of spectacles?

The man who is always frank runs a risk of making an enemy every time he speaks.

Why drink expensive coffee, when you can buy real English chicory for twelve or thirteen cents a pound.

Even the man who can't make both ends meet may be successful in constructing sandwiches, making both ends bread.

This idea of equipping ocean liners with moving pictures for the entertainment of passengers may be good, but surely passengers who are inclined to seasickness aren't looking for any more motion on ocean liners.

If some of the jokes in Life were as long as they are broad, two of them would fill the paper.

A man really ought to have a good disposition, when everybody always lets him have his own way in everything.

Speaking of timepieces, the silvery chiming that the poets tell about and the strident whirr of the alarm clock are the two extremes.

A man may admire a sensible girl, and still fall in love with one who is merely pretty.

How many of the things you thought a year ago you couldn't do without do you think you can do without today?

Patience is great virtue, and all the more noticeable because it is so rare.

The conductor of the orchestra gets bigger pay than any of his men, and yet he never plays a note.

The girl who chews gum in public doesn't care how she looks.

It is highly improper for a girl to stick out her tongue at you when she isn't pleased, which may be one of the reasons why every now and then you come across a girl who likes to do it.

Have charity for all, including the amateur singers who appear in public entertainments given in aid of charity.

Any man who has brought up a family of seven children to the age where they are self-supporting deserves to

NO OFF-YEAR FOR APPLES

Down in Somerset county, Me., there is an apple orchard of about 1500 trees that has the reputation of being one of the best in the state. The owner says that the profits, that he derives from it make the orchard as good as a government bond.

About 150 of the trees are of the Ben Davis variety and are in the neighborhood of 10 years old. The other trees are 15 to 30 years old. All of the trees are in good bearing condition, and although there may be years when the crop is small, he realizes good profits even then. The owner has learned that if an orchard is well cared for it will always do well, even if the year is a poor one.

During the season just passed the orchard produced a good yield and brought a high price on account of the fruit being of extra good quality and free from worms. The apples were marketed direct.

The owner has come to the conclusion that potatoes make one of the best crops for the orchard, because there is more cultivation to be done throughout the year in potatoes and the mixture usually used to kill potato bugs has a tendency to kill other insects that are injurious to apple trees. Moreover the amount of fertilizer used in planting potatoes is of great benefit to the trees. This year there were 12 acres of potatoes in the orchard and there was a harvest of 275 bushels to the acre. A ton of fertilizer was used.

The potato crop in planting in the orchard is that the trees shade the vines and retard the growth somewhat, but the benefits to the orchard by this crop more than offset the extra bushel of potatoes that would otherwise be harvested.

The trees are set so that they run in rows each way. The next crop in the orchard will be buckwheat. The year following it will be plowed for potatoes. This is the system of rotation and the profits that he derives from the crop alone make it worth while, to say nothing about the benefits to the orchard.

The orchard that is now 10 years old yielded 1000 barrels of fruit this year. This farmer has no off-year in apples.

HOW MAINE FARMER TREATS ORCHARD—GROWS POTATOES UNDER TREES WITH SUCCESS

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The owner has come to the conclusion that potatoes make one of the best crops for the orchard, because there is more cultivation to be done throughout the year in potatoes and the mixture usually used to kill potato bugs has a tendency to kill other insects that are injurious to apple trees. Moreover the amount of fertilizer used in planting potatoes is of great benefit to the trees. This year there were 12 acres of potatoes in the orchard and there was a harvest of 275 bushels to the acre. A ton of fertilizer was used.

The potato crop in planting in the orchard is that the trees shade the vines and retard the growth somewhat, but the benefits to the orchard by this crop more than offset the extra bushel of potatoes that would otherwise be harvested.

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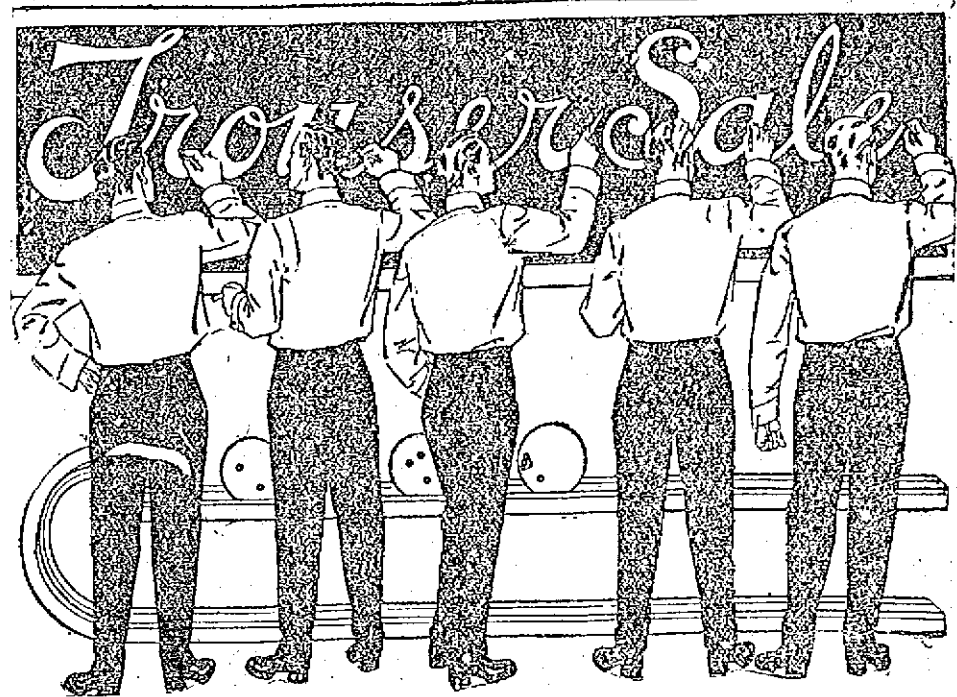
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to work; Rhode Island is content if they can read and write and Kentucky if they can read and write and have had some instruction in elementary subjects.

There is no inspection for child labor in Georgia nor in Louisiana outside of New Orleans. In Mississippi inspection is in the hands of local sheriffs and health officers. In all three of these states a state bureau of factory inspection is urgently needed. Mr. Lovejoy says, and will be included in the campaign program of the national child labor committee for the coming year.

ELECTED DIRECTORS

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Old Lowell National bank which was held yesterday afternoon the following directors were chosen for the ensuing year: Artemas H. Woodworth, Percy Parker, Peter H. Donohoe, Charles M. Williams, William G. Ward, Lucius E. Paulin, James J. Kerwin, John L. Robertson, James M. Abbott.

Carroll L. Pingree of this city, a former leader of the I. W. W., who was serving a three-months' sentence at the house of correction in Salem after being convicted of rioting in the Essex county, completed his sentence Monday afternoon and immediately upon his release boarded a train for Boston.

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Cuticura Soap (25c.) and Cuticura Ointment (50c.) are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

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CALL SULZER AS WITNESS STATEMENT FROM MAYOR

Former New York Governor the Chief Witness at Resumption of the John Doe Inquiry

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—William Sulzer, former governor, now an assemblyman, was the chief witness cited to appear this forenoon at the resumption here of the so-called John Doe inquiry into political graft, especially as concerns state road construction. During the period before and after his removal as governor, Sulzer made many charges against his enemies but he did not take the stand at the impeachment proceedings and his appearance today was the first under oath. It was understood that Dist. Atty. Whitman would insist that the witness sign a waiver of immunity. The district attorney did not announce, prior to the resumption of the inquiry over just what ground he would take the witness. It was

Relative to Municipal Council's Appeal to the Legislature—Says Many Do Not Understand It

Believing that a great many citizens are not familiar with or are laboring under a misapprehension relative to the municipal council's appeal to the legislature for relief, Mayor Dennis J. Murphy, today, issued the following statement:

There seems to be a misapprehension on the part of a great many citizens concerning the purpose of going to the legislature for relief on the part of the city on its outstanding temporary loan of 1913.

The purpose of the government in petitioning the legislature is not that it shall receive money outside the limit of indebtedness for the purpose of appropriations. The present bill that has been presented to the legislature does not contemplate the borrowing of any money for the purpose of appropriations under the law at present. It is legally impossible for the city of Lowell to renew its outstanding temporary loan notes, and if there is no way of renewing them, there can be but one expedient, and that expedient lies in legislative enactment. The bill that has already been presented seeks permission not to borrow the sum of \$500,000 for the purpose of appropriations, but seeks the privilege of renewing outstanding notes until such time as the taxes outstanding against such loans shall have been collected.

There has been a long established custom in our city of permitting taxes to remain unpaid for a period of 20 months. There cannot be, at this time, a revocation of things ordering the immediate collection of such taxes. But the most expert authorities on municipal finance have advised, and recommend that the city of Lowell should

go to the legislature and receive the relief that it has asked.

I think it wise and proper to make this statement in view of what seems to me to be a misconception on the part of a great many citizens as to the purpose of the present legislative petition and bill. At the present time there is fully \$500,000 of uncollected taxes for the years 1912 and 1913. Approximately the same amount of money that has always been due at this particular period of the year, and since the legislature passed a law in 1913, prohibiting the payment of this loan in any other way than from the taxes of 1912 and 1913, and since it is neither convenient nor practicable to avail ourselves of these taxes without creating a hardship upon many people, I believe it to be the only expedient wherein we can preserve the city's credit, and at the same time carry on the affairs of the government without embarrassment or inconvenience. This relief that will be granted unquestionably by the legislature, will not cause one dollar more of added expenditure on the part of the city than if these notes now outstanding could continue to run; but the law says that they cannot run, and they cannot be renewed; and since that is the fact, there is nothing for the city to do at present but to request the legislature to give legislative sanction by legislative act to renew these notes.

The principal sum for which these notes were issued is not to be obtained from the tax levy, for it is provided in the bill that the money shall be obtained from the uncollected taxes now outstanding for the years 1912 and 1913. We have provided in the bill for the borrowing of \$100,000 and no part of that principal sum will be taken out of the tax levy except, perhaps, a portion of the abatements for the years 1912 and 1913.

BIG SNOW STORM

Old Time Storm Visited This City Last Night—Traffic Blocked

A real old fashioned snow storm visited this city during the night and this morning people were astonished to find over a foot of snow on the ground. This storm will be a great help to the many unemployed in Lowell, who early this morning were put to work by Commissioner Morse of the streets and highways department in clearing the streets and crossings.

The storm started late yesterday afternoon with a light snow and mild temperature. In the early evening the velocity of the wind increased some, but fortunately the thermometer registered several degrees above zero. The snow fell constantly during the night and at one o'clock the officials of the Bay State Street railway deemed it advisable to put extra men to work and accordingly several of the cars were abandoned to the car shed in Middlesex street and 15 snow plows were put to work. The big snow plows were kept in motion all night and the company found it a very difficult task to keep its tracks clear. All lines were running late this forenoon, however, and it was not until noon that the regular running time was resumed.

Sulzer, Commissioner Morse was on the job bright and early this morning and while many were still enjoying a good nap several hundred workmen had been put to work in carting the snow from the thoroughfares to the rivers and commons. All sleighs available in the department were pressed into service, but the snow kept falling heavily and the work of the department was in many places useless.

Many mill operatives who live on the outskirts of the city found it very difficult to get to their work on time this morning, especially those who relied on the electric car service. Others who attempted to come to the city in sleighs or automobiles were snow-bound, while still others living near their work found much difficulty in reaching their destinations on foot.

A large car of the touring specimen was stalled in Central street and it required the combined efforts of several men to get it going. These who really enjoyed the storm were the school children, who were up bright and early, hoping the no-school signal would be sounded and what they wished for, came, for at the usual hour the signal was given. Many of them were seen later in the forenoon, armed with shovels and looking for jobs to clear the sidewalks of accumulations of snow. The snow was so thick that while others who made fruitless attempts to enjoy coasting, took to snowballing.

Train Service Affected

The train service was slightly affected by the storm but all of the trains went through Lowell within a half-hour of the regular running time with the exception of one western train. About seventy-five men were employed in the yards of the B. & M. clearing away the snow and the foreman stated that he would employ several more if he could find men willing to work.

The Postoffice

The western mail which is scheduled to arrive at the local postoffice about 7:15 a. m. was over an hour late this forenoon on account of the heavy snow. All the other morning mails were on good time although it is expected that the late afternoon trains will be more affected. No extra letter carriers were put on today and the regular force got along exceptionally well considering the condition of the sidewalks and streets.

SAILED 35 DAYS AGO

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Although 35 days have elapsed since the 4500 ton Italian steamer Oceano sailed from Lisbon for New York on Dec. 16 with a cargo of cork she has not been posted as missing because her owners do not

believe that any accident of a serious nature has happened to her.

It was stated today that the Oceano was a slow freighter, which might average eight knots under very favorable conditions and in a westerly gale and heavy sea her captain would probably have her to and drift until the weather moderated.

The Oceano was built at Glasgow in 1910 and carries a crew of 40.

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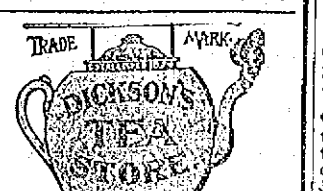


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—WILL OPEN SOON—

It was stated this forenoon that the second floor of the building at the corner of Appleton and Central streets, formerly occupied by the Builders Exchange, had been leased by the Fiske Rubber Tire company of 811 Boylston street, Boston, and in the near future will be used as a salesroom. The Fiske company manufactures both bicycle and automobile tires at the Boston plant and it is understood that they have been attempting to secure quarters in this city for some time.

FOX HUNTERS BANQUET

Successful Affair Held at Bedford East
Evening—Large Fox Shot Yesterday

The New England Fox Hunters club, composed of hunters from all over the six states held its annual meeting and banquet in the Bedford town hall last evening. The event was one of the most successful in the history of the organization and men were present from all of the cities and towns within a radius of 100 miles.

All day yesterday was spent in hunting and John W. Jackson of Belchertown had the distinction of shooting one of the largest foxes ever secured in the town. Several of the clubmen chased a fox for over three hours and finally killed it near the Billerica and Burlington line. Over thirty men took part in the day's hunt and they also had over a dozen dogs.

EX-SEN. CULLOM NEAR DEATH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21. Although the condition of Shelby Cullom showed slight improvement this morning no hope is held out for his recovery and according to the attending physicians the end may come at any time.

DEATHS

CAMPBELL—The many friends of Mrs. Mary Campbell will be pained to hear of her death which occurred yesterday at her residence, 12 Brown street. She was a member of the Holy Rosary sodality of the Immaculate Conception church and leaves three sisters, Alice and Anne Larkin and Mrs. Margaret Kelly, also several nieces and nephews.

DECHAMPE—Mrs. Delphis Dechampe, nee Delphine Forget, aged 71 years, 5 months and 17 days, died today at her home, 14 Willie avenue. She was survived by a husband, three daughters, Mesdames Arthur Guilbault and Leon Arnault, both of Montreal, Que., Mrs. Alfred Gelin, Mrs. George Bourgeois and Mrs. Bernadette Ducharme, all of this city; three sons, Desire, Chrysostome and Rodolphe; a brother, Alexis, in Canada. She was a member of St. Anne's sodality of St. Joseph's church.

SCHIMMERHORN—Fred Schimmerhorn, aged 40 years, a well known resident of this city died this morning at the Lowell hospital after a short illness. He was an attendant of St. Michael's church. Burial will take place in the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons, Funeral notice later.

RILEY—Died, Jan. 19th, at the home of his son, Edward, in Pasadena, Cal. Peter R. Riley, aged 76 years. Deceased was a well known old resident of this city. He leaves four sons, Frank, Peter, Edward and John, the two latter of Pasadena. He was the father of the late Mrs. Mary Riley, nee of St. John N. H. The body will be brought to this city for burial by Undertakers J. P. O'Donnell & Sons. Funeral notice later.

FUNERAL NOTICES

MARTIN—The funeral of Mrs. Louise Geliney Martin will take place from her late home, 23 Concord street at 9 o'clock Thursday morning. A high mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 9.45 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Savage.

BLACKLIN—The funeral of Mrs. May Blacklin, wife of Howard Blacklin, will take place Thursday morning at 8.15 o'clock from her late home, 130 Thorndike street. At St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock a funeral mass will be celebrated. Undertaker John J. O'Connell in charge.

RILEY—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth R. Riley will take place tomorrow morning from her late home, 161 Broadway at 8.15. High mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker P. H. Savage in charge.

MAN NEARLY MURDERED

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amination. After the examination the physician said that there was still evidence that the complainant had suffered an injury but that neither his arm nor leg was useless or greatly injured at present.

The complainant testified that the defendant hit him over the head with the leg of a table just outside of Parker's bobbin shop on Lawrence street on Dec. 18th. The blow came as the climax of a lengthy argument. Witnesses said he was taken to St. John's hospital where he later was stricken with an epileptic fit. He said that he had never had such an attack before.

The defendant took the stand and testified that the actions of the complainant had made life unbearable for him and the blow came as the result of insults which had been heaped upon him by the complainant. Judge Bright found the defendant guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of \$75.

Thomas McCaffrey, had no money and no job and didn't just know what he was going to do. He was picked up as one of three suspicious characters who were called before Judge Bright this morning. The court sent him to jail for three months on the charge of vagrancy.

Mary O'Malley, alias Agnes Diamond, was charged with the larceny of \$125 from John Dink and pleaded not guilty. Her case was continued until next Saturday.

Frank M. Donahue was sent to the house of correction for a term of four months on the charge of not supporting his wife.

Henry Greenhalge was charged with the unlawful sale of a half pint of liquor. Greenhalge works for C. P. Cunningham on Fayette street. The police claim that the defendant sold a half pint bottle of whiskey contrary to law. The case was continued until next Tuesday.

Moses Greiner was charged with neglecting his wife. The woman testified that her husband abused her when he got drunk. The defendant was given a suspended sentence to the house of correction on condition that he pay his wife \$4 per week.

CITY SOLICITOR

Murphy, Commissioner Carmichael and City Solicitor Hennessy.
Mayor Murphy called to order at 11.25 with all members present. The mayor read the application of Thomas J. Neucas, former president of the Greek community, as constable and Com. Carmichael moved that the matter be laid on the table on the ground that there are enough constables at the present time.

Com. Morse inquired how many Greek constables and the mayor replied that there were at least two that he knew of.

The claim of Elizabeth N. Gannon for personal injury was referred to the committee on claims.

For Pole Locations

A petition by the N. E. T. & T. Co. for pole locations in Leroy street, a petition coming over from 1913, was read by the mayor.

It was stated that a Mrs. Avery objected to the pole which is a terminal pole. The petition was granted. There was another old pole location petition up for action. It had to do with a pole location in Edison street and all former discussion concerning it was taken up in detail by Com. Donnelly who favored the location of the pole for a distance of about two feet southerly.

Com. Morse said that according to the rules of the park department the pole couldn't be moved in the direction indicated by Mr. Donnelly because it would bring it too close to trees.

Commissioner Brown's Motion

The following motion offered by Com. Brown was seconded by Com. Carmichael:

"That the city solicitor be and he hereby is authorized and instructed to make an investigation in order to determine the rights and privileges that the city of Lowell has in the control of the waters of the Merrimack river, as well as any rights it may have in land bordering on the banks of the Merrimack river; and whether or not the city has any rights in land that has been filled in by the proprietors of Locks and Canals on Merrimack river; and to discover whether the city has any redress for any invasion of any rights it may have in said river; and to determine whether the said proprietors of Locks and Canals on Merrimack river have exceeded any rights granted it by the legislature, and to determine also whether said proprietors of Locks and Canals on Merrimack river have filled in the banks of the said river for the purpose of acquiring land for profit and gain, or for the purpose of establishing the free flow of the said river, and to render whatever other information that may be necessary for maintaining the rights and remedies to which the city may be entitled."

The motion was adopted.

Then, Carmichael suggested it would be well for the chief of the fire department to inspect all places where gasoline is stored. "The chief ought to know where it is and how it is protected," said Mr. Carmichael.

"The men of the fire department," he continued, "should familiarize themselves with promises where gasoline is stored."

Former Commissioner Cummings was at the reporters' table and, upon request of the mayor, explained how he handled the gasoline question last year. He thought Com. Carmichael's suggestion a good one.

Collection of Taxes
Commissioner Brown asked for information concerning the effort to borrow \$500,000 on the temporary loan and City Solicitor Hennessy said that the temporary loan remains the same except that there is greater legal protection for the city; a legal method by which we can take care of the loan. He spoke of the new law coming in that would demand the annual payment of taxes and that law, he said, would wipe out the temporary debt. Going to the legislature and seeking relief gives the city permission to extend the note.

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City should not consider it an inconvenience when called upon to pay their bills. They should be willing to suffer a little inconvenience.

To Discontinue Tracks
City Solicitor Hennessy called attention to a communication from the Boston & Maine R. R. and the Merrimack Mfg. Co. relative to the discontinuance of tracks in Tilden street. Mr. Goulding appeared for the railroad and F. E. Dunbar for the Merrimack Mfg. Co.

Commissioner Carmichael moved that the matter be referred to Mayor Murphy and City Solicitor Hennessy. The mayor added Mr. Carmichael's name and the matter was referred to the three, the mayor, city solicitor and Mr. Carmichael.

Before the meeting adjourned Commissioner Brown requested the mayor and commissioners to get the estimates to change and send them to the auditor's office as quickly as possible. Adjourned at 12.15 to Tuesday at 11 a. m.

Lowell Boy Kidnapped
Continued

sustained by young Paquette while riding blind baggage on a freight car, the boy's left arm being amputated, while three toes of his left foot were so badly bruised that amputation resulted.

There is quite an interesting story connected with this boy, who is still in his teens. The little chap left home on several occasions and the father was kept worrying for months at a time. Then the little fellow would return and of course he was received with open arms.

On June 1, 1912, he left home and all efforts to locate him were fruitless. Some time in October of the same year, the father received word that his son had been injured on a railroad in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He went to the latter place and there found his boy in a hospital with the left arm and three toes of the left foot amputated. The little fellow told his father that he was employed by a farmer in a little town near Poughkeepsie and just much as his employer broke his engagement with him, he left his work and went to the railroad station. He said he was acquainted with a brakeman who allowed him to ride blind baggage. He was seated on a flat car, when the train turned a curve, and the sudden jolt sent him rolling to the tracks, where his left arm and three toes of the foot were crushed.

The father, through a German lawyer of Poughkeepsie, brought suit against the railroad company for \$25,000 and against the farmer who employed the boy, for \$10,000, both writs being returnable in November, 1913.

A short time later the boy returned to his father's home 503 West Sixth street, this city, and remained there up to a short time before the law

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Black Velvet Sailors and Colored Plush Hats. Value to \$4.95, 95c	Trimmed Hats. Value \$2.95, \$1.49	Panama Hats. Value \$3.95, \$1.95	Marabou Muffs. Val. \$4.95, \$3.50
Velour Mannish Hats. Value \$2.95 \$1.49	Trimmed Hats. Value \$4.95, \$1.95	Untrimmed Hemp and Chip Straw Hats. Value \$2.95 95c	Marabou Scarfs. Val. \$5.00, \$3.25
Colored Plush Hats. Val. \$2.95, 95c	Trimmed Hats. Value \$1.95, 89c	Lot of Rough Straw Hats, untrimmed. Value 69c 10c	Marabou Scarfs. Val. \$7.50, \$4.50
Velvet Fur Trimmed Hats. Value \$2.95 \$1.49	Children's Trimmed Hats. Value 95c 25c	Trimmed Spring and Summer Hats. Value to \$5.05 \$2.95	Marabou Scarfs. Val. \$3.95, \$2.50
	Fancy Feathers. Value to \$1, 39c		Marabou Scarfs. Val. \$5.00, \$3.25
	Fancy Flowers. Value \$1.00, 25c		Marabou Scarfs. Val. \$5.00, \$2.95

EVERY HAT MUST BE CLOSED OUT AT ONCE

suits were to be called. On Monday, Nov. 18, 1912, two unknown men called at the Paquette residence and spoke with Alexandre, making an engagement with the boy to meet them at Merrimack square at 9.15 a. m. the following Wednesday.

The boy told his father of the engagement, but did not refer to the nature of the meeting. He left home at 10 o'clock that morning and nothing has been heard from him since, up to a short time ago, when he was located in a hospital in Thompson, Ohio. A few days after the boy's disappearance from Lowell the Poughkeepsie lawyer was notified and he immediately came to Lowell, meeting Mr. Paquette at a downtown hotel. According to the father the lawyer feared the boy had been kidnapped or induced for probably a small sum of money to keep out of the way on account of the suits pending. Detectives were put on the boy's trail, but their efforts to locate him were fruitless. Institutions and educational places were searched and again without any avail.

The father and lawyer had given up all hopes of seeing or hearing from the boy again, until a short time ago the father received a letter from the su-

perintendent of a hospital at Thompson, Ohio, who informed him that his son, Alexandre, was confined to the institution, suffering from tuberculosis, and that his chances for recovery were very slight. The father immediately communicated with his Poughkeepsie lawyer, who after conducting an investigation, so the father says, found that the little fellow was placed in the hospital under a different name several months ago.

It was while searching the Paquette boy's clothes that the physicians of the hospital found the name of Isander Paquette, 302 West Sixth street, Lowell, on a piece of paper. The boy was immediately questioned about this name and address and he volunteered the information that the paper disclosed the identity and address of his father and that his name was Alexandre Paquette. According to the father the boy told the attending physicians he did not remember what took place after he left Lowell in November, 1912.

Mr. Paquette will go to Poughkeepsie in a few days and there he will meet his lawyer and both will journey

to Thompson, Ohio, where they expect to solve the mystery of the boy's disappearance from Lowell over a year ago. The father informed the writer that the suit against the farmer who had the boy in his employ for some time would not be pressed, inasmuch as the father is anxious to come to some understanding with the boy's father and reach a settlement out of court for any responsibility he might have incurred.

FUNERALS

LIVINGSTON—The funeral of Lauriston B. Livingston took place this morning at 10.20 o'clock from his late residence, 14 Royal street. The services were conducted by Rev. James M. Craig, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. George B. Burns. The casket was placed in the receiving tomb in the Woodlawn cemetery at Nashua, N. H. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Realer.

SHANNON—The funeral of the late Patrick Shannon took place this morning at 9 o'clock from his late home, 150

South street. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church, where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass of requiem was sung by Rev. John Burns. The bearers were Patrick Hammersley, Charles McNulty, William Burri, Patrick Maroney, Patrick Dunlavy and Joseph Fox. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Burns read the final prayers. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

To the Patrons of the Middlesex Steam Laundry

Mr. Geo. H. Russell is no longer connected with this laundry.
MR. EDWARD KEARNS will be pleased to call on the customers and respectfully ask a continuance of their patronage so generously given me in the past. If you continue to favor me with same I shall endeavor to give you as good if not better service than have during the thirty years I have been in the laundry business.
F. E. JAINES.

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JUST WHEN YOU NEED THEM

Owing to the present condition of the wholesale rubber market we have given the PRICES on our RUBBER FOOTWEAR a cut of 10%.

Women's 3-Buckle Overshoes. Regular Price \$2, Now **\$1.78**

Misses' 3-Buckle Overshoes, Now **\$1.29**

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WOMEN'S EXTENSION RUBBERS, Storm or Medium, **49c**

CHILDREN'S TAN RUBBERS Now **50c**

CHILDREN'S 3-BUCKLE OVERSHOES Now **\$1.19**

BOYS' TAN STORM BOOTS Now **\$1.98**

Men's 4-Buckle Overshoes. Regular Price \$2, Now **\$1.78**

Men's 1-Buckle Overshoes. Regular Price \$1.75, Now **\$1.39**

Boys' Rolled Edge Rubbers. **50c**

THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND DON'T KNOW IT

Weak and unhealthy kidneys cause so much sickness and suffering and when through neglect or other causes, kidney trouble is permitted to continue, serious results may be expected.



Your other organs may need attention—but your kidneys should have attention first because their work is most important.

If you feel that your kidneys are the cause of your sickness or run down condition commence taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, because if it proves to be the remedy you need and your kidneys begin to improve they will help all the other organs to health.

SPECIAL NOTE—You may obtain a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root by enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. This gives you the opportunity to prove the remarkable merit of this medicine. They will also send you a book of valuable information, containing many of the thousands of grateful letters received from men and women who say they found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed in kidney, liver and bladder troubles. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that our readers are advised to send for a sample size bottle. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Be sure to say you read this offer in The Lowell Sun.

Prevalency of Kidney Disease
Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are among the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patients, who usually content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease constantly undermines the system.

A Trial Will Convince Anyone
Thousands of people have testified that the mild and immediate effect of Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, is soon realized and that it stands the highest for its remarkable results in the most distressing cases.

Symptoms of Kidney Trouble
Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you suffer from annoying bladder troubles, frequently passing water night and day, smarting or irritation in passing, brick-dust or sediment, headache, backache, lame back, dizziness, poor digestion, sleeplessness, nervousness, heart disturbance due to bad kidney trouble, skin eruptions from bad blood, neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago, blotting, irritable, wormy feeling, lack of ambition, may be loss of flesh or sallow complexion, kidney trouble in its worst form may be stealing upon you.

Swamp-Root is Pleasant to Take
If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at all drug stores.

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ACT ON TRUST MESSAGE GREAT BATTLE EXPECTED GREEK SOLDIER RETURNS

Five Bills to Carry Out Suggestions of President Being Completed in Congress

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Five bills to carry out the suggestions of President Wilson's trust message were being completed in congress today.

The bills will embrace the following:

An interstate trade commission with inquisitorial powers into corporations and authority to administer the law.

Prohibition of interlocking directorates in interstate corporations, railroads and national banks.

Empowering the interstate commerce commission to regulate the issuance of railroad stocks and bonds.

A Sherman law definition bill which would define specifically what constitutes conspiracy in restraint of trade.

A general trade relations measure seeking to eliminate cut-throat competition in business and which would provide punishment for individuals and make it possible for firms and individuals injured by unlawful business practices to avail themselves of findings against combinations and trusts.

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Rebel Leader Prepares for Attack and Issues Statement, Saying That He Will Lead Troops to "Dethrone the Usurper of Our Liberties"

CHIHUAHUA, Mex., Jan. 21.—Orders were issued by Francisco Villa today for a concentration of rebel forces along the railroad north of Torreon.

The rebels scattered in the state of Durango and Coahuila and the garrison in Juarez were ordered to join those at Chihuahua, Jimenez and Santa Rosalia with a view of preparing a formidable front in the projected rebel advance southward. Evidences have multiplied that the federals at Torreon are determined if possible to check the rebellion at that point.

Torreon is now the northernmost federal stronghold in the heart of the republic. The federals hold that if the revolutionary movement from the north is to be stopped at all it must be halted there and that the loss of Torreon

to the rebels would leave the way open for Villa's advance to Saltillo, Monterrey, San Luis Potosi and cities near Mexico City. Consequently, according to reports received here, the federals are drawing all their available soldiers toward Torreon in the hope of dealing a decisive blow to the rebels.

Gen. Villa said he was not inclined to believe that the federals would evacuate Torreon. He therefore ordered to be concentrated there all rebels who might be spared from the surrounding country. Within ten days, he said, his available army for the campaign would number 15,000 well equipped soldiers.

Gen. Villa himself expects to lead the campaign but not until he has first visited Juarez, for which place he planned to leave today. The rebels are already within striking distance of Torreon. They occupy Lerdo and Gomez Palacio, important suburbs.

The overthrow of Torreon by the rebels would leave two routes open to Mexico City. One will be directly southward through Zacatecas and Agua Calientes. The other would be eastward through Saltillo and Monterrey and then southward through San Luis Potosi.

As an indication of his intention to lead his troops and also as an instance of the summary manner in which he appoints important officers, Gen. Villa, while preparing to take the train for Juarez, turned to Gen. Manuel Chao in the state palace and said:

"Gen. Chao, you are now governor of the state of Chihuahua, and I leave everything in your hands while I go to the head of my troops to dethrone the usurper of our liberties."

RESCUED CREW

N. Y. Schooner General Adelbert Ames Was Wrecked Today

CHATHAM, Jan. 21.—The New York schooner General Adelbert Ames was wrecked off Monomoy Point early today. Captain Hart and the seven men in his crew were brought safely to shore in the breeches buoy, manned by the lifesaving crews from the Monomoy and Monomoy point stations.

The schooner, laden with fish from St. John, N. B., for Philadelphia struck at 2 a. m. on Bears Shoal and later slid over into the Rip north of the Shovel lightship and about 200 yards off shore.

The lifesavers launched their surfboat but were driven back by the wind and sea. For the first time in many hours the beach apparatus was brought out. A little sand knoll near the schooner offered the only spot for anchoring the apparatus. The lifesavers, working almost deep in water shot four lines from the beach gun before getting a rope across the wreck craft.

The first man ashore from the Ames told the lifesavers they must hurry, as the masts were awaying and it was feared that the schooner would go to pieces any moment. Capt. Hart, the eighth and last man to leave the ship, was safe on the beach less than half an hour afterward.

Captain Kelley of the Monomoy Point lifesaving station said that if the schooner had struck 100 yards north or south of where she did no

rescue would have been possible as there was no place on the shore where the apparatus could have been anchored.

The General Adelbert Ames registered 452 tons net. She was built at Camden, Me., in 1886.

Tango Girls, Miner's, Lincoln hall, Fri.

SEN. LANE HEADS HOME CLUB

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Senator Lane has been unanimously elected president of the recently organized Home club of the department of the interior. The organization has 1500 members and its object is to promote social intercourse.

EXPULSION FOR HAZING

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 21.—Four students of the Bingham school whose names are withheld by the school authorities have been expelled following alleged brutal hazing of a new student and a whipping administered to the latter after he had reported the case to the authorities.

RESIGNS FROM NEW HAVEN

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The resignation of Laurence Minot from the directorate of the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. Co. was announced today. Mr. Minot also retired as a director of the Harlem River and Port Chester roads, the Hoosier Falls railway and the New England S. S. Co., New Haven subsidiaries.

GOLF PROFESSIONALS IN EAST

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Two notable additions to the ranks of the golf professionals resident in the east will be made shortly. It was announced some time ago that Louis Teller of France had been engaged by the Carneg Country club of Summit, New Jersey, and it has been learned that Teller intends to sail for New York next Saturday. James M. Barnes, who has been at Tacoma for the last four or five years will come to the Philadelphia Valley Country club near Philadelphia.

EXCUSE ME

WHEN YOU WANT TO GET IN TONIGHT YOU'LL FIND THE KEY BURIED IN THE GROUND

ALL RIGHT!

SHE'LL FORGET

I GUESS SHE MEANT IN FRONT OF THESE STEPS

I GUESS SHE DID

THAT'S FUNNY

SHE MUST-A PUT IT DEEP

MERCY

I'VE DUG UP NEARLY THE WHOLE GARDEN NOW AND CAN'T FIND IT

TRYIN' TO DIG YER WAY INTO THIS HOUSE, EH?

EXCUSE ME! SAM I FORGOT ALL ABOUT THE KEY!

GOOD NIGHT!

DELILAH F. BRADLEY

JOEL M. FOSTER

MOBILE, Ala., Jan. 21.—Harry B. Bradleys from wealthy residents of Pemberton placing at his disposal ample funds with which to prosecute Foster and urging him not to return without his daughter. Bradley at once engaged lawyers, and they are working up a strong case against Foster. The latter denied emphatically that he had asked his father, T. J. Foster, head of the International Correspondence schools, for financial assistance.

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Greeted by His Family Who Had Little Hope of Seeing Him Alive - Decorated by King George

Dionisios Stamoulis, a former resident of this city, returned to Lowell this morning after serving in the Greek army during the Balkan-Turkish conflict.

The young man made the voyage aboard the steamship "Joseph" of the Austria-American line.

Stamoulis, who is about 28 years of age, had been living in this city eight years when the call to arms from Greece reached this country. He had served his two years of compulsory service in the Greek army and his knowledge of military affairs as well as his love for his country made him decide to enlist in the army and he was among the first to leave the Spindle City.

Upon reaching Greece the young soldier was given an assignment in one of the regiments of the regulars and he was immediately sent to the front without even being given a chance to visit his parents. However, this did not bother him much, for, as he says, he did not cross the ocean on a pleasure trip. He took part in many of the fierce battles which occurred between the Greek and Turkish forces, but fortunately always managed to es-

cape the bullets of the enemy. At the close of the first war the young soldier expressed a desire to take part in the Graeco-Bulgarian war, but his superior officers informed him that his services were more valuable on guard duty on the territory captured by his army.

When the treaty of peace was signed between Greece and Bulgaria Stamoulis was given an honorable discharge after being decorated with the silver medals issued by order of the king of Greece and he then went to his old home, where he remained sometime with his folks. After a good vacation he decided to return to Lowell and yesterday he landed in New York, coming to this city this morning. Accompanying him were two relatives, a woman and a man, as well as several other Greeks who will settle here. The young man is the picture of health and says he is glad to be back among his Lowell friends. Stamoulis has a wife and three children in this city, who gave him a most hearty reception when he reached his home in upper Market street. At one time they had almost despaired of ever seeing him alive.

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